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In the Shirt stock you will find our usual good assortment of Shirts with soft collars, all sizes and colors, pleated and soft bosoms, all the latest patterns and styles---Shirts that sell at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

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Says Fish Are Dying.

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Death of T. E. Ryan.

The friends of Timothy E. Ryan, who is a member of the Wisconsin legislature, were shocked to hear of his death which occurred early on Tuesday afternoon, July 17, while attending a meeting of the directors of the Wisconsin State Fair in his home city in Waukesha. Mr. Ryan seemed to be in excellent health at the opening of the meeting but he was taken ill suddenly and expired in a few minutes from heart failure. Timothy E. Ryan was a well known and prominent lawyer and politician and had a wide acquaintance not only in the state but throughout the country. He was a staunch democrat and for some years had been Wisconsin's representative on the national committee of his party.

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A red sunset foretells dry weather, because it indicates that the air toward the west, from which rains may generally be expected, contains little moisture.

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The extremes of temperature on the Sahara are such that while the day be oppressively hot, at night it freezes.

His Rockless Views.

"Wrong idea of life, has he?" "Yes. He thinks a five dollar bill was made to be changed into a paper's razor."

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Formerly occupied by Alex Haydock. Reasonable terms. Inquire at this office.--at

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We have never been ashamed of the jobwork turned out at the Tribune office, but there is always fine work in the way of half tones and color work that cannot be properly handled at the average country office, but with the new equipment we are in a position to do anything in this line that may be forthcoming.

Any of our friends who are interested in a fine piece of machinery are invited to look over the new press and see it in operation.

FORT BERTHOLD RESERVATION OPEN TO SETTLERS

Minot, N. D., July 18, 1911.—President Taft has issued a proclamation throwing open to settlement the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation in North Dakota. Registration will commence August 14th. Principal point of registration is Minot, North Dakota.

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The land located in this reservation is some of the choicest land in North Dakota, located in the northwestern part of McLean County just south of the Great Northern Railway's transcontinental line. The larger portion of it is a dark brown in color, the top soil being an alluvial deposit capable of producing all kinds of cereals and vegetables. It is underlaid with a clay sub-soil. The larger portion is practically free from stone and may be easily worked.

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Indian Pete's Wild West show arrived in the city on Tuesday morning with the intention of remaining here until the Coultter show arrives; here next Wednesday, when the two shows will join forces. Indian Pete has eleven cars in his outfit. It is reported that the show has been in South Dakota, where they encountered very poor business.

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The burden of Mr. Irving's talk was along the line of patronizing your home merchant. He portrayed very vividly the evils of sending money out of town to support the city merchant, and showed how it not only affected the local merchant but also the local schools, the churches, amusement places and everything that goes to make a lively place out of a small city. He stated that he had while talking to officers of the Commercial Club here noticed that some of them were wearing clothes made by outside tailors, and went on to explain that if the people of this city who now send their money out of town were to patronize their local tailors it would mean the employment of at least twenty-five more tailors here in this city. This is only one instance out of the many that might be cited where the patronizing of home industry would mean a larger and better town.

He also touched lightly on the subject of a Y. M. C. A. building in our city with its attendant advantages to the rising generation of the city. This is certainly a matter that is worthy of more than passing notice and is one that might be handled by our citizens without a great burden on anybody.

Mr. Irving mentioned many things that might be of benefit to the people of this city many of which might be carried out with advantage to the community.

He advised the combination of three of our churches and the paying of a minister a good salary, the meetings to be held under one roof and the other two buildings to be used for gymnasium and Y. M. C. A. purposes.

He spoke strongly against the shacks that line our main streets and suggested that the city council condemn certain ones that have outlived their usefulness and have become eyesores to the community.

He advised the establishment of Commercial Club rooms where the merchants of the city could meet and talk over the problems that confront them, and he talked on many other subjects and gave advice which, although it could not all be carried out at once, might be well to bear in mind, to be made use of later on.

It was a good talk all the way thru, and brim full of good advice for those people of the city who generally consider that they belong to the so called "better class" and are prone to think that the institutions of their home town are not quite good enough for them, notwithstanding the fact that they are just what they make them.

The audience seemed to believe in what Mr. Irving said and it is to be hoped that they will make an attempt to carry out his suggestions.

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New Manager Arrives.

Wm. Kelly, the new manager of the local baseball team, arrived in the city on Tuesday. Mr. Kelly is a baseball player and during the past season has been acting as umpire for the Wisconsin and Minnesota leagues. Mr. Kelly will take charge of the team at once and play second base, and an effort will be made to get him to locate here.

Will Hold a Baby Show.

The Methodists are preparing to hold a baby show in their church parlors next week, probably on Thursday or Friday, although the date has not been definitely set as yet. All babies under 3 years of age are admissible. The baby receiving the most votes will receive a prize.

Prospecting For Water.

The city engineer has put down a number of wells east of the city where an effort to secure an additional supply of water for the city. A fairly good supply of water seems to be forthcoming there, and those engaged in the work seem to be greatly encouraged by the outlook.

Digging a Well.

The Railroad Packing Company started to sink a ten inch well at their place last week. The company has been short of water for some time past and they made an attempt to get the city to extend their water main to their plant, but were unable to secure anything, hence their effort to secure water by sinking a well.

Carload of Pianos.

—Mrs. P. P. Daly received a carload of pianos on the 15th instant and is now ready to show her customers the very latest styles in musical instruments. Come and look them over if you are interested.

Grading Their Road.

The Green Bay & Western have two gravel trains and a crew of about twenty-five men at work on a grade near Elm Lake which is being leveled to the grade of the rest of the road. It is expected that the work will take about two months.

Legislature Adjourned

The state legislature of Wisconsin finished its labors last Saturday, July 15th and adjourned, having broken all previous records in the state of Wisconsin for long distance operation. The man who has been in the habit of breaking out periodically with the remark that we have too many laws, may henceforth console themselves with the fact that the legislature just adjourned added about two hundred and fifty more laws, which will be published in supplement form in the near future and circulated thruout the state.

One would think in the course of time that a law covering every possible subject could have been enacted and that the legislators would at last reach a point where all they would have to do would be to meet down at Madison, take a few drinks around and get acquainted, then after convening at the capitol, throw a few rubbers and paper balls at each other and adjourn for the season, first drawing their salary, of course.

But it seems as the years roll around we have to have more and more laws, and it looks as if the time were coming when the session would last for two years and one legislature would hardly get thru in time for the next succeeding one to take hold of the business.

Waupaca Beaten.

The Waupaca baseball team played in this city on Sunday and were beaten by the locals by a score of 4 to 2. The game started out by the visitors scoring two runs in the first inning, and it looked as if it might be a walkaway, but the home boys settled down to business and the result was that the visitors failed to get another run across the home plate.

There were some errors on both sides, and it was not until the fourth inning that the fans began to breathe easy, during which the locals brought in three runs, giving them a lead of one.

The score by innings was as follows:
Grand Rapids 0 0 0 3 1 0 1 0—6
Waupaca 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Vesper's New Paper.

We are in receipt of No. 1, Volume 1, of the Vesper Pioneer, the new paper published at Vesper. The paper is a six column quarto with two pages printed at home, and is as well printed and a good typographically as the average paper that comes to our exchange table.

While it does not seem possible to support a newspaper in as small a place as Vesper, still it may prove a great success. Its success will depend largely on the way it is received and supported in that section.

Death of Mrs. Chas. Margeson.

Mrs. Charles Margeson died very suddenly this morning, cause of death being apoplexy. Deceased was 62 years of age and had lived practically all her life in this city and was a daughter of Mrs. Dan Case. She was married to Mr. Margeson in 1888, and is survived by her husband and three children, they being Daniel, Floyd and Bessie.

The funeral will occur on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, Rev. P. A. Pence of the Methodist church officiating.

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Cubs Defeat Kellner.

The Cubs ball team went to Kellner on Sunday and shut out the Kellner team by a score of 5 to 0. A. Fahrner was on the mound for the Cubs and the score sheet shows that 25 of the hard hitting Kellner boys fanned the air. Marx Olsen was at the receiving end for the Cubs. The Kellner pitcher is credited with five strikeouts.

East Side Home Sold.

On Monday J. J. Hazard purchased the Jane Granger property on the corner of Saratoga and 9th streets, paying \$1475.00 therefor. The deal was made thru the J. H. Linderman agency.

Hay for Sale.

—A large quantity of standing Blue Joint for sale located near the marsh about 5 miles west of South Centralia, owned by the States Realty Co. of Peoria, Ill. For particulars call Oscar Potter by phone or address Grand Rapids, R. D. No. 2.

Notice to the Public.

—I hereby notify the public that I will close my studio on Saturday evening to remain closed for one week on account of attending the photographers convention at St. Paul.

Coal Sheds Afire.

There was a small blaze at the Bossert coal sheds on Monday, which was extinguished before any great damage was done. The fire is supposed to have caught from a passing locomotive.

For Rent.

1 Modern 10 Room house.
1 4 Room flat.
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FIRE CAUSES CONSIDERABLE LOSS

The frame building on the corner of Grand and Third Avenues owned by the Hoskinson estate, and occupied by the billiard hall and Sitterley's restaurant, caught fire early Saturday morning and was badly burned on the inside, also the outside shell and part of the roof are still intact.

The fire caught in the restaurant of Joe Sitterley by the explosion of a gasoline stove, the time being 3 o'clock a. m. The alarm was turned in soon after, but the fire spread rapidly and by the time the department arrived the interior of the restaurant was well ablaze and the flames had run up between the partitions to the roof which was rapidly being consumed.

The second story of the building was occupied by J. J. Jeffroy as a law office, P. C. Meeter's photograph studio and Mr. and Mrs. Cub Wakley as a residence.

When the explosion occurred Mr. Sitterley ran to the upper part of the building and awakened Mr. and Mrs. Wakley, after which the alarm was turned in. Mr. Wakley was unable to save much of his household goods, owing to the fact that the fire had already made considerable headway.

A part of the equipment of the Meeter studio was removed before the fire got into that part of the building, but a quantity of stock was ruined by the smoke and water. Most of the books and furniture were removed from Jeffroy's law office, although there was some loss there.

In the Sitterley place there was a total loss of the contents, while in the billiard hall of Guy Getts there was also a large loss from smoke and water. Mr. Getts figures that it will take something like \$1200 to replace the damage to billiard and pool tables, loss on stock, etc.

An insurance of four thousand dollars was carried on the building and the loss to the structure will probably be about one half this amount.

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Sharkey Loses the Match.

Quite a number of followers of the wrestling game went to Rudolph on Thursday night to witness the match between Dave Sharkey of Rudolph and John Little. There was a good crowd in attendance and those present were well repaid for their trip, as the bout was one of the best ever pulled off in the Wisconsin River Valley. Little winning two straight falls, the first one in 31 minutes and the second in 36 minutes, after a game struggle by the Rudolph boy.

Both wrestlers were in the pink of condition, having trained for several weeks for the match. Little weighing in at the neighborhood of 155 pounds and Sharkey around 185.

Rudolph sports are now trying to arrange a handicap match for Little with Bob Fredericks, the big Nekoma gladiator, which would be a very interesting bout, and no doubt bring out a big crowd.

Purchased New Cars.

H. A. Henschel has purchased an E. M. P. touring car during the past week from the Wood agency. The car is a nice running machine and will no doubt answer all the requirements.

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A Fine Trip.

Messrs. Harold Arpin, Chas. Nash, George Scott and Chas. Briere departed on Saturday morning for Boulder Junction from where they will make a ten day trip down the Manitowish and Plumbeau Rivers into the Ladymouth, a distance of 160 miles by boat thru some of the best fishing country in northern Wisconsin.

Will Reopen Billiard Hall.

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Union Giants Coming.

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The proprietors are proud of a new printing press which was installed last week in this office, and we think we are justified in feeling just a trifle snick up.

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In putting in the new press it may be that the Tribune is a trifle ahead of the times for a city of this size, but there is a certain demand here for fine work that it has never been possible to supply heretofore, while with the new equipment it will be possible to do anything here that is done anywhere, and do it as cheaply and fully as good.

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Gets a Good Position.

Will O. Brawley, formerly editor of the Wausau Sun, has been appointed circulation manager of the National Democratic Monthly for Wisconsin at a respectable salary by Andrew J. Mack, editor of that publication.

Mr. Brawley has been intimately associated with the democratic party in the state for over twenty-five years, and has a wide and personal acquaintance throughout the state. He is a quick thinker, a brilliant writer and will be of great assistance to the publication. He had the backing of Wisconsin's most influential democrats, who recommended him to Mr. Mack.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ladies. Broecker, Miss Tillie; Damon, Miss Edith; Miller, Mrs. Krust, card; Phoebe, Mary R., card; Spalm, Mr. Charles.

Gentlemen. Andersen, A.; Blackman, Harry, card; Colby, S. H.; Deland, Frank; Desper, Fred; DeWorth, Will; Doty, Jake; Fardon, John W., card; Fourieir, Geo.; Gregory, Frank, card; Hewes, James; Jensen, Sam; Jurean, Emory; Lampard, Arthur, card; Lahens, Paul; Sutherland, Geo. West, Tony.

Circus in Town.

Indian Pete's Wild West show arrived in the city on Tuesday morning with the intention of remaining here until the Collier show arrives here next Wednesday, when the two shows will join forces. Indian Pete has eleven cars in his outfit. It is reported that the show has been in South Dakota, where they encountered very poor business.

LOW ROUND TRIP EXCURSION RATES.

—To Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Colo., daily until September 30. Favorable stop-overs. Liberal return limits. For full information, apply to Ticket Agents, The North Western Line.—2t.

MR. IRVING GIVES A VERY GOOD TALK.

Mr. Irving, who was scheduled to speak at the Amusement hall on Monday evening gave those assembled a very good talking to, and the only thing to regret was the fact that there was not more of a crowd there to hear him. There was only a sprinkling in the big hall, a bare two hundred people, and while they listened attentively to what the speaker had to say and will no doubt profit thereby, it seemed a shame that so few were in attendance. If it was the price of admission that kept so many of them away, it might have been a good thing to have given the lecture free.

The burden of Mr. Irving's talk was along the line of patronizing your home merchant. He portrayed very vividly the evils of sending money out of town to support the city merchant, and showed how it not only affected the local merchant but also the local schools, the churches, amusement places and everything that goes to make a lively place out of a small city. He stated that he had while talking to officers of the Commercial Club here noticed that some of them were wearing clothes made by outside tailors, and went on to explain that if the people of this city who now send their money out of town were to patronize their local tailors it would mean the employment of at least twenty-five more tailors here in this city. This is only one instance out of the many that might be cited where the patronizing of home industry would mean a larger and better town.

He also touched lightly on the subject of a Y. M. C. A. building in our city with its attendant advantages to the rising generation of the city. This is certainly a matter that is worthy of more than passing notice and is one that might be handled by our citizens without a great burden on anybody.

Mr. Irving mentioned many things that might be of benefit to the people of this city many of which might be carried out with advantage to the community.

He advised the combination of the work of our churches and the paying of a minister a good salary, the need of a better school, and the need of a gymnasium and Y. M. C. A. purposes.

He spoke strongly against the shacks that line our main streets and suggested that the city council enact certain ones that have outlived their usefulness and have become eyesores to the community.

He advised the establishment of Commercial Club rooms where the merchants of the city could meet and talk over the problems that confront them, and he talked on many other subjects and gave advice which, although it could not all be carried out at once, might be well to bear in mind, to be made use of later on.

It was a good talk all the way thru, and brim full of good advice for those people of the city who generally consider that they belong to the so called "better class" and are prone to think that the institutions of their home town are not quite good enough for them, notwithstanding the fact that they are just what they make them.

The audience seemed to believe in what Mr. Irving said and it is to be hoped that they will make an attempt to carry out his suggestions.

Mr. Irving also spoke strongly in favor of a union depot in our city where all of the four railway lines would come in, and advised our citizens to go after the matter before one of the railway companies has built a depot, after which it would be too late.

New Manager Arrives.

Wm. Kelly, the new manager of the local baseball team, arrived in the city on Tuesday. Mr. Kelly is a baseball player and during the past season has been acting as umpire for the Wisconsin and Minnesota leagues.

Mr. Kelly will take charge of the team at once and play second base, and an effort will be made to get him to locate here.

Will Hold a Baby Show.

The Methodists are preparing to hold a baby show in their church parlors next week, probably on Thursday or Friday, although the date has not been definitely set as yet. All babies under 8 years of age are admissible. The baby receiving the most votes will receive a prize.

Prospecting For Water.

The city engineer has put down a number of wells east of the city where an effort to secure an additional supply of water for the city. A fairly good supply of water seems to be forthcoming there, and those engaged in the work seem to be greatly encouraged by the outlook.

Digging a Well.

The Railroad Packing Company started to sink a ten inch well at their place last week. The company has been short of water for some time past and they made an attempt to get the city to extend their water main to their plant, but were unable to secure anything, hence their effort to secure water by sinking a well.

Carload of Pianos.

—Mrs. P. P. Daly received a carload of pianos on the 15th instant and is now ready to show her customers the very latest styles in musical instruments. Come and look them over if you are interested.

Grading Their Road.

The Green Bay & Western have two gravel trains and a crew of about twenty-five men at work on a grade near Elm Lake which is being leveled to the grade of the rest of the road. It is expected that the work will take about two months.

Legislature Adjourned

The state legislature of Wisconsin finished its labors last Saturday, July 15th and adjourned, having broken all previous records in the state of Wisconsin for long distance operation. The man who has been in the habit of breaking out periodically with the remark that we have too many laws, may henceforth console themselves with the fact that the legislature just adjourned added about two hundred and fifty more laws, which will be published in supplement form in the near future and circulated through the state.

One would think in the course of time that a law covering every possible subject could have been enacted and that the legislators would at last reach a point where all they would have to do would be to meet down at Madison, take a few drinks around and get acquainted, then after a few rubbers and paper balls at each other and adjourn for the season, first drawing their salary, of course. But it seems as though years roll around we have to have more and more laws, and it looks as if the time were coming when the position would last for two years and one legislature would hardly get thru in time for the next succeeding one to take hold of the business.

Waupaca Beaten.

The Waupaca baseball team played in this city on Sunday and were beaten by the locals by a score of 2 to 2. The game started out by the visitors scoring two runs in the first inning, and it looked as if it might be a walkaway, but the home boys settled down to business and the result was that the visitors failed to get another man across the home plate. There were some errors on both sides, and it was not until the fourth inning that the fans began to breathe easy, during which the locals brought in three runs, giving them a lead of one.

The score by innings was as follows:
Grand Rapids 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 2
Waupaca 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2

Vesper's New Paper.

We are in receipt of No. 1, Volume 1, of the Vesper Pioneer, the new paper published at Vesper. The paper is a six column quarto with two pages printed at home, and is as well printed and a good typographically as the average paper that comes to our exchange table. While it does not seem possible to support a newspaper in an small place as Vesper, still it may prove a great success. Success will depend largely on the way it is received and supported in that section.

Death of Mrs. Chas. Margeson.

Mrs. Charles Margeson died very suddenly this morning, cause of death being apoplexy. Deceased was 52 years of age and had lived practically all her life in this city and was a daughter of Mrs. Dan Chase. She was married to Mr. Margeson in 1888, and is survived by her husband and three children, they being Daniel, Floyd and Bessie.

The funeral will occur on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home, Rev. P. A. Pease of the Methodist church officiating.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ladies. Dennis, Miss Cornelia; Guernsey, Mrs. Fannie, card; Gusky, Miss Vera, card; Klenzinski, Miss Minnie, card; Kurzinski, Mrs. Marie; Link, Mrs. Richard, card; Stump, Mrs. P., card; Thomas, Miss Mary; Timmerman, Miss Dana, 2 cards. Gentlemen. Bauser, Henry H.; Bowett, Will, 2 cards; Christensen, James; Brooks, Emmet, card; Chapman, G. W., card; Dunne, John; Knial, Henry, card; Stumoff, Louis, card; Suckstorf, Herr. Evald, foreign letter; Shipa, Frank, card; Swadley, Homer, card; Thilo, Geo. J.

Cubs Defeat Kellner.

The Cubs ball team went to Kellner on Sunday and shut out the Kellner team by a score of 5 to 0. A. Fahrner was on the mound for the Cubs and the score sheet shows that 25 of the hard hitting Kellner boys fanned the air. Max Olsen was at the receiving end for the Cubs. The Kellner pitcher is crushed with five strike outs.

East Side Home Sold.

On Monday J. J. Hazard purchased the Jane Granger property on the corner of Saratoga and 9th streets, paying \$1475.00 therefor. The deal was made thru the J. H. Linderman agency.

Hay for Sale.

—A large quantity of standing Blue Joint for sale located near the lower marsh about 5 miles west of South Centralia, owned by the States Realty Co. of Peoria, Ill. For particulars call Oscar Potter by phone or address Grand Rapids, R. D. No. 3.

Notice to the Public.

—I hereby notify the public that I will close my studio on Saturday evening to remain closed for one week on account of attending the photographers convention at St. Paul.

O. P. Menzel, Photographer.

Coal Sheds Afire.

There was a small blaze at the Bonser coal sheds on Monday, which was extinguished before any great damage was done. The fire is supposed to have caught from a passing locomotive.

For Rent.

1 Modern 10 Room house.
1 4 Room flat.
1 7 Room house.
2 Modern Suites of offices.
Inquire of Daily Drug & Jewelry Co.

—Johnson & Hill Co. pay the highest price in Cash for your Butter and Eggs.

FIRE CAUSES CONSIDERABLE LOSS

The frame building on the corner of Grand and Third Avenues owned by the Hockinson estate, and occupied by the billiard hall and Sitterley's restaurant, caught fire early Saturday morning and was badly burned on the inside, although the outside shell and part of the roof are still intact.

The fire caught in the restaurant of Joe Sitterley by the explosion of a gasoline stove, the time being 3 o'clock a. m. The alarm was turned in soon after, but the fire spread rapidly and by the time the department arrived the interior of the restaurant was well ablaze and the flames had run up between the partitions to the roof which was rapidly being consumed.

The second story of the building was occupied by J. J. Duffy as a law office, E. C. Meester's photograph studio and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wakley as a residence.

When the explosion occurred Mr. Sitterley ran to the upper part of the building and awakened Mr. and Mrs. Wakley, after which the alarm was turned in. Mr. Wakley was unable to save much of his household goods, owing to the fact that the fire had already made considerable headway.

A part of the equipment of the Meester studio was removed before the fire got into that part of the building, but a quantity of stock was ruined by the smoke and water.

Most of the books and furniture were removed from Jeffrey's law office when there was some loss there. In the Sitterley place there was a total loss of the contents, while in the billiard hall of Guy Gotts there was also a large loss from smoke and water. Mr. Gotts figures that it will take something like \$1200 to replace the damage to billiard and pool tables, loss on stock, etc.

An insurance of four thousand dollars was carried on the building and the loss to the structure will probably be about one half this amount.

The fire was a most unbroken one to light. It got a pretty good start before the alarm was turned in, and it quickly communicated to the partitions and got under the roof so that it was impossible to get water onto it. The air was perfectly still, and a light rain had fallen during the night, so that little trouble was experienced in saving the surrounding buildings.

Sharkey Loses the Match.

Quite a number of followers of the wrestling game went to Rudolph on Thursday night to witness the match between Dave Sharkey of Rudolph and John Little. There was a good crowd in attendance and those present were well repaid for their trip, as the bout was one of the best ever pulled off in the Wisconsin River Valley, Little winning two straight falls, the first one in 21 minutes and the second in 36 minutes, after a game struggle by the Rudolph boy.

Both wrestlers were in the pink of condition, having trained for several weeks for the match. Little weighing in the neighborhood of 160 pounds and Sharkey around 185.

Rudolph sports are now trying to arrange a handpick match for Little with Bob Fredrick, the big Neenah grappler, which would be a very interesting bout, and no doubt bring out a big crowd.

Purchased New Cars.

H. A. Herenich has purchased an E. M. Ford touring car during the past week thru the Ward agency. The car is a new running machine and will no doubt answer all the requirements.

Ed Pomarville has received his new Oakland car, purchased thru the Johnson agency. It is a five passenger touring car, and like all the Oaklands, a nice appearing machine.

A Fine Trip.

Messrs. Harold Arpin, Chas. Nash, George Scott and Chas. Briere departed on Saturday morning for Boulder Junction from where they will make a ten day trip down the Manitowish and Flambeau Rivers to the Ladysmith, a distance of 160 miles by boat thru some of the best fishing country in northern Wisconsin.

Will Reopen Billiard Hall.

Guy Gotts has leased the Pomarville building formerly occupied by Timm & Briere and will open his pool and billiard hall therein as soon as it is vacated by the present tenants, the Walker Company. The building is well located for the purpose intended.

Union Giants Coming.

Next Sunday the locals will cross bats with the Union Giants of Chicago, a colored team that puts up a good game of ball, and one that the locals will have to hustle to beat. Layers of the national game should be on hand to see the game.

WELL

Are You a Booster

—IF SO—

Who Does Your Laundry Work?

THE GREATEST Shirt and Neckwear SALE

Of The Season.

On Saturday, July 22nd, for one day

only, we are going to put on sale our entire stock of Shirts and Neckwear.

In the Shirt stock you will find our usual good assortment of Shirts with soft collars, all sizes and colors, pleated and soft bosoms, all the latest patterns and styles—Shirts that sell at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

SATURDAY SPECIAL—
Any Shirt in the house 79c

We are also showing the largest assortment of Neckwear ever shown in the city. All the latest styles and colors.

SATURDAY SPECIAL—
Any Tie in the House 35c

Remember this sale is for One Day Only, and is the greatest opportunity to replace some of your Ties and Shirts that have become somewhat the worse for wear.

Abel & Podawiltz Co.

"Good Clothes Only"

GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.

UNBUSINESSLIKE BUSINESS.

The New York state employers' liability commission has submitted a carefully prepared report showing a fearful waste of human life in industrial pursuits. Some loss of life in modern industry may be reckoned as unavoidable, but the far greater proportion of the loss which is sustained is the result of unnecessary conditions. It is the direct result of a lack of safety appliances and of overworking employees to the point of physical exhaustion. It is a result of unjust liability laws and legislative negligence, says the Kansas City Times. If sentiment has no place in business—an untenable proposition in itself—at least business ought to be business-like. It is demonstrably not good business to permit avoidable killing of industrial workers and then spend vast sums in caring for families bereft of natural support. It is not good business, even though the children are not neglected, with the chances in favor of their becoming victims or idle citizens. Stricter employers' liability, an automatically applied workmen's compensation for injury or death, and direct industrial insurance are all insurance measures. They provide funds for the support of injured workmen or of their wives and children. They also encourage safety provisions. Such insurance costs would be diffused among all the people—as taxes and fire insurance or diffused—by being added to the cost of the business. That diffused cost would be a practical impalpable burden upon society.

Birds have an excellent time in Japan and our own agriculturists would do well to emulate the treatment meted out by their eastern counterparts to such birds as the swallow and martin, says the Wide World. With a skilled appreciation of the part these feathered friends play in relation to their crops by keeping down the insect pests, they exert every effort to protect them and to encourage them to propagate their kind. It is to be wondered at that this sentimental but withal eminently practical national reverence for the swallows as messengers to the gods and inviter them to build their nests not only under eaves and rafters, but in every and any room of the house? In the hotel dining room were several nests, where the happy parents reared their families in complete safety.

There has been much talk regarding the selection of a national flower. Has it all been wasted? The Brooklyn Eagle remarks upon the indisputable fact that there is no authority in the Constitution for the selection of a national flower. However, a great many things have come to be in this country without specific constitutional authority. There is, for instance, a national bird, the American eagle. There is "Uncle Sam" and there is "Miss Columbia," with no authority for either, except the self-assumed authority of the cartoonists. But these are things upon which everybody is agreed. There is not likely to be a national flower until everybody is agreed upon it. In the meantime, fortunately, the country can afford to wait.

Scientists report that Halley's comet is 500,000,000 miles distant from the sun, and if it were really the cause of the recent heat waves, nobody cares if it gets 500,000,000 more miles away, or even if it gets lost in the outermost bounds of the solar system.

One of the doctors connected with the health department says that 50 per cent. of the dogs that bite people are afflicted with acute rabies. This is a good time to round up the dogs that are permitted to run about unmuzzled.

Edison's latest invention consists of moving pictures that talk. It talks keeps up our actors will be forced to go to work. However, chorus girls are not half so alluring when shown on a screen.

The doctors report that the poisonous secretion in the glands of tonsils is a powerful heart stimulant. A good many people will want some other kind of a stimulant when their hearts get sluggish.

Will the stocking mills of New England run up prices or diminish the output on the excuse that the advent of postal savings banks has cut off the demand for their goods as coin depositories?

There is to be established in Boston a hospital in which none but rich people will be provided for. Nurses who expect to get jobs there will probably have to pay bonuses for their berths.

Being stung by a bee is not a pleasant pastime, but the sting of the presidential bee is welcomed with great enthusiasm by a good many of our patriots.

A Quincy, Mass., school teacher has resigned after 58 years of telling children not to say "ain't"—and all in vain.

A New York judge has found a woman \$33.45 for contempt of court. Probably on the theory that a bargain-counter price would appeal to her.

An Ono hen has adopted a litter of kittens. She was probably fooled by their ability to scratch for themselves.

Ireland is still decreasing in population, but the pace is less rapid than it was about fifty years ago.

The Toledo Blade's idea of hades is to be broke 10,000 miles from home. Ours is to be broke in Toledo.

Detroit, by the way, makes a specialty of playing baseball.

Boost and the town boosts with you; knock and you knock alone.

TRAIN ON NEW HAVEN ROAD FALLS OVER THIRTY-FOOT EMBANKMENT.

BLAME LAID TO ENGINEER

Fire Starts in Wreckage, But Is Controlled—St. Louis Ball Team Escapes Injury and Men Aid in Rescuing Injured.

Bridgport, Conn.—Twelve persons were killed and 44 badly injured in the wreck of the Federal express, one of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad's fastest trains, carrying passengers without change from Washington to Boston. The engine plunged down a 30-foot embankment while running 60 miles an hour.

Fire started in the wreckage, but the fire department put this out and the men helped in rescuing the injured persons.

The engineer took a "cross-over" switch at a speed of 60 miles an hour, violating a rule limiting the rate to 15 miles. He died at his post.

Of 100 passengers that went down with the first six cars few escaped death or injury. Twelve bodies were taken out of the twisted wreckage.

Forty-four injured are in the hospitals and a score more received injuries not severe enough to prevent their from continuing their journey.

The passengers on the train included the members of the St. Louis National league baseball team, who were on their way to Boston for a series of games. The ball players were in the last Pullman car and escaped injury.

Many a victim of the wreck pined beneath the debris as his life in the promissory of these ball players. When they piled out in their pajamas, several of them were bleeding from cuts about the feet, caused by railing over the sharp wreckage.

Without waiting to dress completely the players hurried from the car, descended the viaduct and devoted two hours to helping railroad men, policemen and surgeons at their work in the wreckage.

A new "cross-over" installed on the Burr road viaduct and embankment on the western outskirts of Bridgport was indirectly responsible for the accident. The train was late and the engineer was driving to make up lost time.

When the heavy west-bound train of nine cars struck the switch at full speed, the locomotive leaped, rocked and swayed over the ties for nearly 150 yards, and then fell to the street below, dragging six cars down the bank. The coupling broke between the sixth and seventh cars, leaving three sleepers upright on the embankment.

HEAT CAUSES CROP LOSSES

Reports Show an Enormous Falling Off of Indicated Yields Throughout Country.

Chicago.—Enormous crop losses have occurred during the last thirty days as the result of drought and record-breaking temperatures all over the country. The crops cannot stand temperatures of 100 and 110 as prevailed for days in the southwest, and the corn and oats crops of Texas and Oklahoma are practically failures. South Dakota has also suffered from drought and heat, the small grain crop being cut down two-thirds. There have been losses in nearly every state and even the splendid promise for spring wheat in North Dakota has dropped 7,000,000 bushels in 30 days.

The wheat crop will be short for the month 62,000,000. Oats are short 158,000,000 bushels for the same period. Prospects are that the corn crop will not be an average, while the soybean yield will be far below the average of the country and the smallest since 1908.

PELAGIC SEALING IS OFF

A Formerly Prohibited in Treaty Signed by Representatives of Four Nations.

Washington.—By the terms of a seal treaty signed here by representatives of the American, Japanese, Russian and British governments, pelagic sealing is prohibited in the seas of Berlin, Okhotsk, Kamchatka and Japan.

The convention arranged for the apportionment among the signatory powers of the annual proceeds of the several seal herds in which they are interested, as follows:

Thirty per cent. of the skins annually taken from the American and Russian herds respectively is divided equally between Great Britain and Japan; 30 per cent. from the Japanese herds, divided equally among the United States, Great Britain and Russia; and 30 per cent. from any herds which may hereafter resort to the preceding grounds under British jurisdiction in the North Pacific ocean is to be divided equally among the United States, Russia and Japan.

Chosen Ruler of Elks. Atlantic City, N. J.—John Patrick Sullivan of New Orleans was elected grand exalted ruler of the Elks. He received 94 votes. The next meeting of the grand lodge will be held at Portland, Ore. The western city had no opposition.

Boy Killed by Mosquitoes. Loganport, Ind.—Barton Alfred Erick, aged ten, died from mosquito bites. Blood poisoning followed the severe stinging of his ankles, according to the coroner's report.

Mosquito Bites to Kill. Newark, N. J.—After having spent three days and nights swamp near Caldwell, N. J., Aaron Kennedy, a dying from mosquito bites, was out for huckleberries, and wrenched his ankle so he could not walk.

Finds \$750 Pearl in Clam. La Crosse, Wis.—A pearl valued at \$750 was found in a clam shell picked up in the Mississippi river by William St. Russell of this city. It weighs forty-seven grains.

Bolt Hits Congressman's Home. Manchester, N. H.—During a severe electrical storm lightning struck the residence of Cyrus A. Sulloway, congressman from the First district. The congressman, who has been ill in bed for ten days, was removed by neighbors to an adjacent house.

Boy Killed by Baseball. Guilford, Conn.—Twelve-year-old Chauncey Olinier died suddenly after being hit on the head by a baseball. He was the third victim of baseball in this state this summer.

Shoots Self on Eve of Wedding. Bloomington, Ill.—After securing a license to marry a young girl of Port Washington, Pa., that place shot himself with the rifle, but may live. He declared that the idea of marriage suddenly became distasteful.

ALL-WORLD PACT MEANS END OF WAR, SAYS JUDGE GARY.

Meeting Is Combination of Manufacturers for Advancement of All Interests in Industry.

Paris.—Judge E. H. Gary, who arrived here in his automobile from Brussels, where he had been in attendance upon the world's steel congress, was most enthusiastic over the results accomplished by the conference and in reply to the query as to what the congress means, said: "If it doesn't mean the dawn of an industrial millennium, it is at least the twilight of a new and better era for the iron and steel industries of the world and all people connected with them."

"Twenty years ago such a convention working in absolute harmony and unity of purpose would not have been possible. At that time the idea of 120 men representing the iron and steel industry in every world producing country in the world getting together and agreeing upon even any one point would have been preposterous. The convention just closed showed a unanimity of purpose and desire for cooperation that surprised even the most sanguine of us."

"Then this is in the nature of an international trust, is it?" he was asked. "Not at all," answered Judge Gary. "There is not the least semblance to what is so-called a trust. I should call the present congress a combination in friendly association of steel and iron manufacturers for the purpose of advancement and better mutual understanding of all questions of economical, ethical or sociological interest pertaining to the steel industry. The congress is a regulation of prices, distribution of territory, or attempting the circumvention of the tariff laws have no more part in the congress than a bar association formed by attorneys controls the individual actions of its members, or regulates the fees they may charge."

"This steel congress, to my mind, is a long step toward universal peace. I don't want to get into too deep water, but I really think it will stop war. Today it is not so much a question of honor as it is one of dollars, and commerce, if it would, has the power to stay the hand of the politician who would destroy it."

GRAIN MAN SHORT MILLION

F. H. Peavey Company Officials Declare Dead President Did Not Personally Profit.

St. Paul, Minn.—James Pettit, president and general manager of the Peavey Grain company of Chicago, whose death occurred by drowning at Chicago on July 8, was short approximately \$1,000,000, according to a statement issued from the offices of F. H. Peavey & Co., the parent of a dozen subsidiaries, which is the owner of the stock of the Peavey Grain company.

The statement was issued from the Minneapolis office, after a conference with representatives of Minneapolis and Chicago banks and commercial paper holders of Chicago holding notes floated by Mr. Pettit in the name of the Peavey Grain company. The statement says in part:

"On Saturday afternoon, July 8, following the death of James Pettit, a representative of F. H. Peavey & Co., who had been sent to Chicago to assist in the office of the Peavey Grain company during Mr. Pettit's illness, discovered that certain unauthorized and concealed speculations had been going on in the business, which subsequent investigation proved will result in a shortage of approximately \$1,000,000."

"Mr. Pettit has apparently in no way profited by these speculations, and they were carried on absolutely contrary to the instructions and without knowledge of F. H. Peavey & Co., and in direct violation of the well known policy of the Peavey company."

WESTERN HAY YIELD SHORT

Agricultural Department Advises Farmers to Plant Emergency Crops for Feeding Purposes.

Washington.—The hay crop throughout the entire central west has been greatly reduced and many pastures dried up by the droughts, according to reports received by the agricultural department. Oats have suffered, too, and in some sections only half crops will be produced. To meet this situation the department issued a circular to farmers urging the immediate planting of emergency crops, such as millet, cow peas, soybeans and sorghum, to round out the shortage of both hay and pasture. The farmers are advised that there is still time to plant half a dozen kinds of quick growing crops.

Woman Burned in Launch. Houghton, Mich.—Mrs. Annie J. Pryor, wife of Reginald C. Pryor, mining engineer and mining promoter, was burned to death by fire resulting from an alcohol lamp in her husband's gasoline launch, at Eagle Harbor, Lake Superior.

Headed by Library Board. Gary, Ind.—Rev. Father Thomas F. Jansen, formerly of Hobart and Fort Wayne, pastor of Holy Angels church, has been elected president of the Gary public library board.

Horse Kicks Automobile. Northwood, Ia.—A horse, kicking at an automobile, was the cause of an accident which may prove fatal to Dr. Bennett Porter of Albert Lea, Minn. Charleston Lehigh, his companion in the automobile, also was seriously injured.

Dickinson in College Chair. Nashville, Tenn.—Announcement was made here of the appointment of former Secretary of War J. M. Dickinson to a chair in the law department of Vanderbilt university.

Rio Grande Is Highest for Years. El Paso, Tex.—The Rio Grande is higher than it has been for years. The lower part of the city river is out of its banks and several houses have been carried away; but there has been no loss of life.

Shoots Self on Eve of Wedding. Bloomington, Ill.—After securing a license to marry a young girl of Port Washington, Pa., that place shot himself with the rifle, but may live. He declared that the idea of marriage suddenly became distasteful.

Nominated by Taft. Washington.—President Taft, sent to the senate the nomination of Samuel W. Backus to be commissioner of immigration at San Francisco, succeeding Hart H. North resigned.

Overcome by Heat; Falls on Coffin. Lima, O.—Here to attend the funeral of her brother, Harry Whetstone, who was drowned on July 1, Mrs. Gladys Aldrich of Detroit, Mich., was overcome by the heat and fell unconscious across the coffin in which her brother's body lay in a local church.

Body Found in Creek. Mitchell, S. D.—The body of John Dore of London, Wis., was found in a creek here. Dore is supposed to have been murdered for his money.

DEALING WITH THE JOYRIDERS



TEST VOTE ON PACT

DEFEAT OF CUMMINGS AMENDMENT IN SENATE SHOWS VICTORY FOR TAFT.

BALLOT WAS 32 AGAINST 14

Believed Result Demonstrates Rejection of All Other Changes Contemplated Against Measure and Its Passage as It Came From House.

Washington.—President Taft gained a victory when the senate, in the first test vote on the Canadian reciprocity bill, defeated 14 to 32 the amendment proposed by Senator Cummings placing limits of all kinds coming from Canada on the free list. The 14 votes cast for the amendment will be undoubtedly cast against the passage of the bill.

This action foreshadows the course of the senate with respect to other amendments. It has been apparent for some time that the president would have his way in getting through unamended the Canadian reciprocity measure.

The rejection of the first Cummings amendment demonstrates that this expectation was well founded. On account of the absence of so many senators from Washington only a bare quorum voted. The vote was as follows, the yeas voting indicating opposition to the Taft program:

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Three votes were ordered by Governor McGovern in messages sent to the legislature. Two, of assembly bills, were sustained by unanimous vote (4 to 0), Assembly bills, Nos. 4 and 5, and Gilroy being present. The third, that of a senate bill, was tabled on account of the absence of every senator.

The first bill, by the committee on transportation, repealed the section of the railroad commission act giving the commission power to pass upon proposed changes in rates upon filing of the proposed schedules; by the companies. Governor McGovern held that this section had been superseded by a recently enacted law providing that the commission shall review all such changes before promulgation by the roads.

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"It cannot be that considerations affecting the health of prisoners controlled in the formulation of this bill," said the governor, "for it provides a shorter day's work for felons than the law recently enacted provided for women."

State Treasurer A. H. Dahl issued a financial statement of the state of Wisconsin for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911. The balances on that date were as follows:

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Unexpended balance	124,252.45
University fund income	11,259.36
Normal fund income	2,239.33
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University trust fund income	4,347.13
Normal fund income	3,548.30
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Indemnity swap fund	1,406.74
Perkins loan fund	27.35
State marshal fund	16,088.12
Land deposit fund	18,858.00
Education fund	18,256.00
Total	\$2,500,000.00

This balance is compared with \$1,659,987.74 on June 30, 1910.

Wisconsin Crops Good. The Wisconsin Farm Crop Report, issued by the state board of agriculture, says that crop reports for July 1 seem to indicate that the good weather conditions which have prevailed during the spring and early summer still exist, and, with few exceptions, most crops are moving on to a good harvest. Many reports mention that the conditions are two weeks in advance. However, the prevailing high temperature has made severe demands upon moisture and a few localities report that dry weather is doing some damage.

The hay crop is nearly harvested and a shortage of rainfall just about harvest time gave the farmers an opportunity to secure it with little damage.

Clover was as predicted—light—but alfalfa was very good.

The exceptional growing conditions have stimulated the heavy growth of straw in grass crops and some reports show much lodging. However, the prevailing high temperature has made severe demands upon moisture and a few localities report that dry weather is doing some damage.

Up to the present time tobacco is doing well and there is every indication that growers will enjoy an exceptional season.

A large amount of the small fruit has been harvested and was a good crop.

Fame of Wisconsin Corn. The German government has just ordered 3,000 pounds of Wisconsin pedigree corn seed from the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment station for distribution among the German colonies in South Africa. Prof. R. A. Moore of the college of agriculture of the University of Wisconsin, who is secretary of the association, has just shipped the corn.

Some time ago samples of Wisconsin pedigree corn were sent to the experiment stations in German South Africa and the vitality and general high quality of the seed attracted the attention of the agricultural experts there at once. The varieties that proved the most successful were Wisconsin No. 1, Clark's Yellow Dent, Wisconsin No. 7, and Wisconsin No. 12 Yellow Glow. The season in South Africa being the opposite of the season in Wisconsin, the corn just shipped will be planted about the first of October and harvested in March or April.

Hooper Heads Blind School. Julius T. Hooper, formerly superintendent of the Ashland schools, was appointed superintendent of the State School for the Blind at Janesville by the state board of control. Elections were made by the board.

Dr. J. P. Brown, superintendent of the School for the Blind, was transferred to the superintendency of the State School for Deaf and Dumb Children at Sparta to succeed C. M. Bright, against whose management adverse criticism had been made in the report of the legislative visiting committee.

Other elections (re-appointments) were:

State Hospital for Insane, Mendota.—Superintendent, Dr. Charles Gorst; steward, P. D. Craner; assistant steward, J. W. Dambner; matron, Miss Anna Oliver.

Edward Williams Elected. S. A. Beckstein of Milwaukee was elected president of the Wisconsin Pharmaceutical association at Elkhart Lake. E. B. Helmsstreet of Palmyra, Wis., was elected secretary. Other officers are: First vice-president, L. H. Kressin, Milwaukee; second vice-president, J. E. Rogers, Beaver Dam; third vice-president, George H. Keatin, Milwaukee; treasurer, W. P. Clark, Milton.

Warns Farm Secretaries. Secretary of State Frear sent a circular letter to the secretaries of county agricultural societies calling their attention to the new law increasing state aid for county fairs, requiring all premiums to be paid by bank check or draft. Limiting any single premium to \$50, and prohibiting exhibitions of immoral character at such fairs. The state aid for fairs is now \$0 per cent. of the total amount of premiums paid, but the new law eliminates state aid for purses for horse races or other contests.

Great Teachers of Deaf. Wisconsin's welcome to the convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, in session here given by Duncan McGregor, secretary of Governor McGovern, who emphasized the steps which the state has taken in advanced legislation.

C. P. Cary, state superintendent of public instruction, spoke in praise of practical education and paid tribute to the worth of the work of the educators of the deaf.

ASKS NEW PHONE

TAX IN MESSAGE

GOVERNOR CALLS UPON LEGISLATURE TO ENACT THE AD VALOREM SYSTEM.

CALLS BILL PASSED BURDEN

Measure Adopted by Solons Is Also Unconstitutional in Opinion of Executive. Simply an Amendment to Old License Fee Plan.

Madison.—Gov. McGovern has sent to the legislature a message calling on that body to enact at this session an ad valorem plan of taxation for Wisconsin telephone companies.

The governor in his message said that the bill which had been passed by the legislature simply increased the license fee and did not carry out the recommendation he made in his first message.

"When this bill," said the governor in his message, referring to the measure passed by the legislature, "came to me, I signed it, although in my opinion both it and the law it seeks to amend are unconstitutional."

"The plan followed for years and contained by this bill taxes telephone companies practically on the basis of the earnings derived from other interstate business and is a burden on interstate commerce."

The governor then states cases where the courts had so worked. It is a fair inference from these decisions that if attacked in court the license fee plan of taxing telephone companies would not stand the test of constitutionality.

"What is needed," continues the message, "is the enactment of new legislation which will place the taxation of this species of property on an unquestionably sound basis."

EAU CLAIRE MAN IS CHOSEN

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Hridgeport, Conn.—Twelve persons were killed and 44 badly injured in the wreck of the Federal express, carrying the St. Louis ball team, Hartford railroad's fastest train, carrying passengers without change from Washington to Boston. The engine plunged down a 30-foot embankment while running 60 miles an hour.

Fire started in the wreckage, but the fire department helped in rescuing the injured persons.

The engineer took a "cross-over" switch at a speed of 60 miles an hour, violating a rule limiting the rate to 15 miles. He died at his post.

Of 100 passengers that went down with the first six cars, few escaped death or injury. Twelve bodies were taken out of the twisted wreckage. Forty-four injured are in the hospital, and a score more received injuries not severe enough to prevent them from continuing their journey.

The passengers on the train included the members of the St. Louis National league baseball team, who were on their way to Boston for a series of games. The ball players were in the last Pullman car and escaped injury.

Many a victim of the wreck phined beneath the debris owns his life to the promptness of the ball players. When they piled out in their pajamas, several of them were rescued from cuts about the feet, caused by racing over the sharp wreckage.

Without waiting to dress completely the players hurried from the car, descended the viaduct and devoted two hours to helping railroad men, policemen and surgeons at their work in the wreckage.

A new "cross-over" installed on the third road viaduct and embankment on the western outskirts of Hridgeport was indirectly responsible for the accident. The train was late and the engineer was driving to make up lost time. When the heavy west-bound train ran across the switch at full speed, the locomotive jumped, rocked and swayed over the ties for nearly 150 yards, and then fell to the street below, dragging six cars down the bank. The coupling broke between the sixth and seventh cars, leaving three sleepers upright on the embankment.

HEAT CAUSES CROP LOSSES

Reports Show an Enormous Falling Off of Indicated Yields Throughout Country.

Chicago—Enormous crop losses have occurred during the last thirty days as the result of drought and record-breaking temperatures all over the country. The crops cannot stand temperatures of 100 and 115 as prevalent for days in the southwest, and the corn and oats crops of Texas and Oklahoma are practically failures.

South Dakota, where the crops are drought and heat, the small grain crop being cut down nearly 50 per cent. and even the splendid promise for spring wheat in North Dakota has dropped 7,000,000 bushels in 30 days.

The wheat crop will be short for the month of June. Oats are about 15,000,000 bushels for the same period. Prospects are that the corn crop will not be an average, while the oats yield will be far below the average for the country and the smallest since 1905.

Mr. Pettit has apparently in no way profited by these speculations, and they were carried on absolutely contrary to the instructions and without knowledge of P. H. Peavey & Co., and in direct violation of the well known policy of the Peavey company.

WESTERN HAY YIELD SHORT

Agricultural Department Advises Farmers to Plant Emergency Crops for Feeding Purposes.

ALL-WORLD PACT MEANS END OF WAR, SAYS JUDGE GARY.

Meeting is Combination of Manufacturers for Advancement of All Interests in Industry.

Paris—Judge E. H. Gary, who arrived here in his automobile from Brussels, where he had been in attendance upon the world's steel conference, was most enthusiastic over the results accomplished by the conference and in reply to the query as to what the congress means, said: "If it doesn't mean the dawn of an industrial millennium, it is at least the twilight of a new and better era for the iron and steel industries of the world and all people connected with them."

"Twenty years ago such a convention working in absolute harmony and unity of purpose would not have been possible. At that time the idea of 120 men representing the iron and steel industry in every steel producing country in the world getting together and agreeing upon such a new point would have been preposterous. The convention just closed showed a unanimity of purpose and desire for cooperation that surprised even the most sanguine of us."

"This time in the nature of an international trust, is it?" he was asked. "Not at all," answered Judge Gary. "There is not the least shadow of a trust, it is a trust in the future. I should like to see the present congress a contribution in friendly association of steel and iron manufacturers for the purpose of advancement and better mutual understanding of all questions of economic, ethical or sociological interest pertaining to the steel industry. The steel industry is a peace, a contribution of territory, or attempting the circumvention of the tariff laws have no more part in the congress than a bar association formed by attorneys to control the individual actions of its members, or regulates the fees they may charge."

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TEST VOTE ON PACT

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Measure Adopted by Solons Is Also
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Madison. -- Gov. McGovern has sent to the legislature a message calling on that body to enact at this session an ad valorem plan of taxation for Wisconsin telephone companies.

The governor in his message said that the bill which had been passed by the legislature simply increased the license fee and did not carry out the recommendation he made in his first message.

"When this bill," said the governor in his message, referring to the measure passed by the legislature "came to me, I signed it, although in my opinion both it and the law it seeks to amend are unconstitutional."

"The plan followed for years and contained by this bill taxes telephone companies practically on the basis of the earnings derived from other interstate business and is a burden on interstate commerce."

"I am certain that states enacting

"What is needed," continues the message, "is the enactment of new legislation which will place the taxation of this species of property on an unquestionably sound basis."

EAU CLAIRE MAN IS CHOSEN

Peter J. Smith Elected President of the Wisconsin Association of Assistant Postmasters.

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Smith, Eau Claire; C. C. Looney, Ladysburg; A. W. Leslie, Racine; L. F.

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The next place of meeting has not yet been decided upon.

NO WAUPUN PRISON PROBE
President Graebner of the Board of Control Denies Reported Investigation at State Penitentiary.

Fond du Lac.—That the officials of the state penitentiary at Waupun are not being investigated nor the institution's affairs being probed is the declaration made by W. H. Gruebner, president of the state board of control. This contradicts predictions of

Reedsburg Boy Electrocutd.
Reedsburg, — Maynard Johnson, aged 12, was killed by a live electric

wire which had been broken during a storm. The lad was playing with several other children in front of his grandfather's house when he took hold of a brace wire to one of the poles which carried the electric light wires. He was terribly burned and

died before he could be rescued. It was necessary to shut down the plant before the body could be taken off the wire.

Ginseng Growers to Meet.
Wausau.—The Wisconsin Ginseng

Growers' association will hold its third annual meeting here Aug. 9 and 10. Prof. H. H. Whetzel of Cornell University, L. H. Jones of the University of Wisconsin, and C. M. Goodspeed of Skaneateles, N. Y., will speak.

Superior Ready for Firemen.
Superior.—All arrangements are complete for the convention of the Wisconsin Paid Firemen's association to be held here July 25, 26 and 27.

No Raise for Highway Laborers.
Madison. — Gov. McGovern has vetoed the bill providing that compensation for labor on highways be raised from \$1.50 to \$2 per day. He states the law would lessen the

Large Neenah Mill Starts Up.
Neenah.—The large new mill of the Hardwood Products company has commenced operations. The company will manufacture interior hardwood

LaCrosse Expects Branch.
La Crosse.—It has been announced here that La Crosse will be one of the sites for the university extension.

Firecracker Causes Lockjaw.
Maiden Rock.—Ten-year-old Har-
zell Churchill, son of a rural man

Will Probe Workers' Bureau.
Madison.—The Wisconsin industrial board has engaged Prof. Leiser-

son of Madison to make a study of the free employment bureaus of Wisconsin and to report on the advisability of continuing them.

Policeman's Bullet Fatal.
South Milwaukee.—Thomas Kar-

biuski, shot by Policeman Antisdal in a saloon row here, is dead. It is said he attempted to prevent the officer making an arrest.

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Why Not?

Many democrats believe that a 20 per cent duty is not necessary on wool in order that the necessary \$15,000,000 revenue may be derived for the benefit of the government. But these same people forget that raw silk and raw rubber are admitted absolutely free to this country, a 20 per cent duty on these two imports would more than make up for the revenue loss should wool be put on the free list. More people use wool than use silk and rubber, and more people would be benefited by putting wool on the free list while the rich would pay for the silk and rubber. Why the cry?—Papillon (Neb.) Times.

Notwithstanding the fact that Governor Davidson two years ago advised the legislature that the state had normal schools to answer the needs of the educational system for years to come, and the further fact that we have the largest normal school system in the union, the demand of localities for one of these fine institutions continues. Kalamazoo is the latest candidate to get a bill through the assembly authorizing the state to select a site for a new normal school. Four other applications were defeated. If the legislature is to select a site for a new normal school every two years, those of the coming generation may expect eventually to see a palatial quarter million dollar building in every county, erected and maintained at state expense.—Jackson County Journal.

The legislature which has finally adjourned will be remembered among other things as the only legislature for many years which has failed to inform the people of the state of the total amount of the tax burden which it has put upon them. All the people know, and that only in a general way, is that the total is far in excess of that of any previous year.—Milwaukee Free Press.

May Be Good a Thing.

Section two of a law passed by the legislature now in session provides that:

"No person shall publicly drink any intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any smoking car, parlor car or other coach of a steam railroad or interurban railroad."

The evident intent of this provision is to put a stop to drinking from bottles, which is sometimes practiced by passengers, and not to interfere with the serving of drinks with meals on dining and buffet cars.

Another section of the same act, however, provides a penalty for any person or corporation:

"Who shall knowingly permit any person to drink any intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any train or a steam railroad or interurban railroad or coach."

This section would seem to absolutely prohibit the drinking of intoxicants on all railroad or interurban trains in the state.

Nursery Inspector.

Gov. McGovern has appointed Prof. J. G. Saunders of the college of agriculture, professor of economic entomology, to be inspector of orchards and nurseries, in accordance with chapter 434 of the laws of 1911.

Under this law all nursery stock must be inspected before sold, to guard against insect or parasite pests. Nursery men are required to pay an annual license of \$5 for five acres or less and \$10 for more than five acres.

ARPIN

Song service at 10:30. Sabbath school at 11 a. m. Mr. Patterson of Waukegan says he can preach to the people in Arpin the last Sunday in August if they will come out to hear him. If they come they will never be sorry.

The report is prevalent that Wm. Schmitt Jr. is the happy dad of a daughter. Mother and daughter are doing fine.

Mrs. John Kurtz and daughter have returned to their home in the town of Inauon. Mrs. Kurtz says Wood County looks good to her. Wood County is about the only place there is very much hay this year. Corn also looks good. Some patches of potatoes look fine. They will surely be a good price this fall. In the southern part of the state they are very poor not more than two or three potatoes in a hill and if they don't get some rain very soon they won't grow big enough to sell. Corn is the only crop that looks good in the southern part of the state.

The folks in Wood County have about as good an outlook for a living next winter as any place.

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The Duty Problem.

"Are you interested in what is in the table rapping?" "No, I am more interested in what goes on it."—Baltimore American.

NEKOOSA

(From the Times)

The final work of making the new cement sidewalk on the north side of the Nekoosa-Edwards Paper Co.'s property on the north side of the park—began Saturday. Up to Saturday evening they had laid some eight or ten squares of the cement, and it looks fine. It will be considerable improvement to the appearance of Main street. The work is now about completed as far as the railroad tracks.

A. C. Duncan, who for nearly a year has laid charge as foreman of the finishing room at the Nekoosa paper mill, has resigned his position and left Saturday for Chicago, where he will visit friends. Mr. Duncan has taken a position with the Co. as salesman and will go on the road after a few weeks vacation. Alex, as he was known to those most intimate with him, made very many friends in his short stay here and he was held in the very highest esteem by all, the number of his friends being the exact number of his acquaintances. He is a young man who attends strictly to his own business, does not meddle with affairs of others, is absolutely honest, upright and just, is courteous and kind to all. We wish him success in his new field.

Work began last week on the boat house proper, that is being constructed by the Nekoosa-Edwards Paper Co. and the village of Nekoosa. Mayor Herriek has charge of the cement construction, which is a guarantee that it will be well done.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brandt returned Monday from a visit of several days with his parents at Rudolph. Their little daughter, Myrtle, and Mrs. Brandt's brother, of Chicago, who has been visiting here, remained at Rudolph for a more extended visit.

Mrs. Wm. Lovengren, who returned about two weeks ago from a six weeks' stay at Grand Rapids hospital, where she underwent a surgical operation, was again taken to the same hospital Tuesday, a second operation being necessary.

WORTH DOLLARS.

—Barker's Cough Remedy is the medicine for colds, sore throat and rheumatism.—Johnson & Hill Co.

PITTSVILLE.

(From the Record.)

Dr. G. H. Palmer and Banker H. Barney, both of Neenah, were in the city Sunday of this week on business with J. S. Woodworth. It is Mr. Barney's first visit to this section and he expressed himself very much pleased with the outlook. As he said, one could have convinced him that this country was as good as it is now as far advanced, but seeing is believing, and there is now one more to sing the praises of Pittsville.

The two hardware concerns in this city report a big sale of farm machinery this spring. Both have been obliged to place extra orders on certain machines and there will be sales for a month yet. This all goes to show that the farmer has faith in the community as well as the season, and added sales each year tell in almost absolute of the advancement of the community.

A good story is being told of the recent legislature. At its convention the members were standing about a place made famous for conviviality getting acquainted. There were the usual questions of "where are you from?" "Eto., Eto., and noting that one of the members had stood back and apparently taken no voice in the gathering, the spokesman drawing near him said, "And where might you be from, friend?" The fellow drew a deep breath and with all the courage he could muster, replied, "From Adams county, now laugh, damn you."

Rev. A. P. Klein shipped his household goods to Earl, in Washburn county, Saturday of last week. Rev. and Mrs. Klein have been spending the remainder of the time in the city with friends and leave tomorrow for Earl where he has taken a call.

Work on the new bridge to span Yellow River was commenced Friday of last week when the unloading of two cars of material was commenced by the man sent here by the company from Illinois who have the contract.

THE OPEN DOOR SLOES AND PAINTS FOR SLOES, CONCRETE OR BRICK SLOES. "THE HANDIEST FRAME BUILD" BUILT BY VESPER WOOD MFG. CO. SEE MODELS AND CATALOGS AT THE OPEN DOOR SLOES.

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For descriptive booklets apply to ticket agents or address A. C. Johnson, P. T. M., C. & N. W. Ry., Chicago Ill.—21.

SARATOGA

Miss Barbara Homerk of Detroit, Mich., is spending the summer at the home of her uncle, Chas. Dietrich, Bremer Knuteson and Fred Gakenberger left for Illinois Saturday.

A number of our young people were pleasantly entertained at the Hjersteadt home at Kellner Friday evening.

Services were held at the Union church Sunday conducted by Mr. Weisenburg. He was accompanied by Rev. Mellicke.

Peter Knuteson spent a few days at home during the past week.

The annual Sunday school picnic was held in the grove near the church last Thursday. There was a large number of people in attendance.

Anna Peterson was ill several days last week.

John Peterson Sr. lost a valuable horse Sunday.

Miss Flossie Snyder accompanied by her aunt of Stevens Point were in this vicinity Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nels Jensen is caring for her little niece of Grand Rapids during the illness of the latter's mother.

Ed. Hanson of Port Edwards spent Sunday at home.

REMINGTON

(To Let for Last Week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller and children of Grand Rapids are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sanger.

Victor Karbooske and Joe Seebrock have been working on the dredge.

Mr. and Mrs. Searls and family are going to move to the state of Washington in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wales have gone to housekeeping at Hance.

C. S. Lowe was a business caller at Grand Rapids on Saturday and Sunday. He also visited at Kellner.

Ed. Daniels was a Grand Rapids visitor last Saturday.

Miss Minnie White returned from Grand Rapids where she visited relatives.

Rose Sanger of this place and her cousins, Elma and Willie Sanger of Grand Rapids departed for Milwaukee last week to spend a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hass entertained a party of their friends on the 4th of July and celebrated. All enjoyed a nice time.

George Rodie of Nekoosa was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. F. Hass last Sunday.

Friends of Joseph James will be sorry to learn that his health is very poor at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wales entertained Mrs. Wm. Plunkett of New Lisbon one day last week.

Veronica Karvoske and husband of Green Bay here to spend the 4th at the parental home.

Miss Meata Hass is home from Grand Rapids visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hass.

Potatoes and corn are looking fine after Sunday's showers. Small grain is also in good condition. The farmers are busily engaged in cutting their rye which is a fair crop.

Miss Lena Rutz is on the sick list this week.

Our roads are in fine condition now. Thanks to the officers of our town board for the good work that has been done.

Mrs. Geo. Severson and sister, Miss Agnes Kelson visited with friends here last Friday.

Miss Laura Rutz of Tomah was home to spend the 4th with her parents. She was accompanied by her friends, Misses Bunkers and of Tomah.

August Rutz is home from Iowa to help his parents on the farm.

Mrs. Fred Seebrock entertained friends from Milwaukee last week.

Relatives of Mrs. Fred Seebrock are going to locate on the Joe Surdick farm.

BIRON

Miss Neta Akoy arrived here Thursday morning from Mission, Texas, where she has been living with her uncle, E. J. Akoy and family during the winter months.

Miss Neta delights in telling of her trip. At Houston she met a number of her friends who were visiting there, and they wired a dinner at St. Louis, Mo., in honor of Miss Neta.

She stayed with her until her departure late in the evening. Arriving in Chicago Wednesday morning she was met by Dr. Ralph Hulst, whom she had the pleasure of meeting in the south, and was entertained by the Hulst family that day.

Several weeks previous to her departure from the south she witnessed a Bull Fight in Mexico.

All interesting and exciting things, Miss Neta claims this was certainly the most. She expects to return in the fall.

Max Zentro has resigned his position at the mill.

Little Jay Atwood was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. O. Laughlin and little daughter, Viola, arrived here Saturday from Jamestown, N. Dakota, to visit for a while with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff DeMars and Miss Bertina Akoy went to Rochester, Minn., last Thursday where Mr. DeMars is being treated at the world famous St. Mary's hospital.

Miss Akoy returned Sunday. As the situation is so busy it may be some little time before Mr. DeMars will be operated on.

Misses Pearl Akoy and Mildred St. Louis are visiting at Mosheim this week, the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Eugene Crofton and husband.

Mrs. Clarence Sipe was on the sick list last week.

C. Snyder and lady friend of your city spent Sunday with the former's brother, Steve, and family.

KELLNER

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knipple are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl as their home the 10th of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Grauger returned to their home at Packwaukee last week.

The very sudden death of Mrs. Ann Pribbenow occurred last Monday evening, July 10th cause of death being heart failure. She was 69 years, 4 months and 18 days old. The funeral took place at the Lutheran church, interment being made in the Lutheran cemetery, Rev. A. Krsche officiating. The pallbearers were: Albert Timm, W. Witt, Albert Knoll, P. Taggart, F. Buss and R. Hannemann.

Miss Crystal Monroe returned from an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Wily of Spring Creek.

Ben VanGorden is working for Nats Swards out on the big marsh. He reports crops to be first rate.

Mrs. Wm. Braundt consulted different doctors up the line last Sunday.

There will be no services at the Lutheran church next Sunday as the Rev. A. Krsche will be at Park Falls on professional duty on that day.

Fred Serran is working for the Kellner Coal Co., in your city.

Miss Olga Anderson returned to her home in Chicago last Sunday after an extended visit with the Hjersteadt family.

Mrs. A. Krsche was on the sick list the fore part of the week.

Master David Taggart, who was seriously kicked by a horse, is improving slowly from his injuries.

A shut-out base ball game was played in our burg last Sunday the score being 5 to 0 in favor of the visiting team. A. Sparks umpired.

MEEHAN

Miss Emma Sander of Stevens Point was the guest of Miss Anna Lutz Sunday.

Lon Smart of Stevens Point was a caller here last week.

Our next term of school will begin Aug. 7th. Miss Delmas Biron of Stevens Point has been engaged to teach.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Davis of Stevens Point were among the many who were searching for blueberries here last week.

J. K. Gustin and family and Harold Bages of Almond came up here Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Miss Nellie Gustin, who had been visiting here last week, returned home with them.

Orrin Olmstead started his threshing machine Monday morning. Rye is the principal grain crop here and many large fields are now ready to be thrashed. It is a good crop this year although the dry weather damaged some of the late sowing.

ALTDORF

The Alt Dorf baseball team defeated the Oronoos team Sunday by a score of 13 to 9, thereby evening up matters again.

Dr. S. T. Lewis and family of Milwaukee visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. O. J. Lea last Thursday and Friday. They made the trip in their automobile, making the journey in a little less than ten hours.

John Schiller had the misfortune of crushing one of his fingers and nearly cutting off the same, by having the drive wheel of the binder fall on it while making some repairs.

Haying is about done and it is time now as it is getting ripe very fast. Barley and rye are out. Oats will be a very poor crop as they are so badly lodged that they are not filling well. Besides it is going to be a very difficult matter to harvest them. Corn is still good but needs moisture, so keep the cultivator going to save what there is.

F. Wuerch has a new 7 1/2 horse power gasoline engine, which he will use in filling silos, etc.

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SIGEL

Miss Anna Knuth, who is employed at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Waters, is home for a week or two to help her folks on the farm after which she expects to resume her duties in the Rapids again.

Al. Hafemann, who is employed at the Oberbeck Bros. furniture factory in your city spent Sunday in this burg a guest at the Ziemann home.

A big dance will be given by the Ott Bros. next Saturday evening, July 22nd.

A number of young folks spent Sunday evening with Anna, Elsie and Carl Knuth. Those present were: Edna, Wilbur and Alvin Ott, Art Henke, Ella and Carl Habcock, Ella, Martha, Reinhard and Bennie Knuth, William Appel and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Knuth and daughters Ethelene and Angelina.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klevin entertained a few of their intimate friends at a banquet Sunday, July 16th.

Mrs. Aug. Fisher spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Ehler at Saseau.

Miss Pauline Scholtz spent Sunday with Mrs. Albert Stahl, nee Anna Gaulke.

Alma Syring, who is employed at Dr. Pomerville's home, is home for a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ristow spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Habbeck in this burg.

Miss Laura Mathews left last week for Milwaukee where she will visit with friends for a while.

Clara Syring is working in her sister's place during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Olke spent Sunday in the Rapids at Ernest Appel's.

Martin Poleusky is laid up with a sore foot. Dr. Hougton is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Falcoskie and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knuth spent the Fourth with their father here. Not quite can they forget that they still have a father.

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In other vocations many times many young people displace other folks because they work for less salaries. This is not the case with the Coulter show. Of the 100 performers billed by W. H. Coulter, a majority of them are young but they are paid higher salaries than any other circus of the past or present ever paid. This is an age of specialists with ring performers. The time was when a man or woman was paid according to the number of acts they could do. The more and during the acts the higher the salary, and in some instances two or three could give the whole show. Not so now. When W. H. Coulter contracts with his performers, it is not a question of quantity, but of quality. He insists upon having the cream of the profession. If the performer can do only one act, but do it better than anyone else in the whole wide world then he is sure of a place with the Great W. H. Coulter show. As the older members of the profession depended upon the number and not the quality of their acts, it is easy to see why the younger persons who specialize are given the preference.

The general air of vigor, snap and ginger about the smooth running performances of Mr. Coulter's Show is in a measure due to the young blood which Mr. Coulter has infused into the circus business.

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Ray Johnson transacted business in Milwaukee on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Latus visited with relatives in Green Bay on Sunday.

Miss Luella Jackson returned on Thursday from a two weeks visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ceprows spent Sunday with relatives in Stevens Point.

Geo. M. Hill transacted business in Duluth several days the fore part of the week.

Mrs. M. G. Gordon and children are visiting with relatives in Tomah or a few weeks.

Hon. John O'Day of Merrill transacted business in the city on Friday and Saturday.

Joe Conen spent Sunday in Wausau visiting at the home of his brother Nate.

Mrs. Chas. Hatch departed on Friday for a three weeks visit in Chicago and Michigan.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson and sister, Miss Ada Kolish visited in Green Bay on Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Paulus of Marshfield was a visitor at the Geo. W. Paulus home on Thursday.

Mrs. George Forrand and children are spending a week in Tomahawk visiting with relatives.

A. P. Hazy spent several days in Milwaukee last week looking after some business matters.

Miss Clara Berg of Necedah spent several days in the city last week the guest of Miss Edith Norton.

Mrs. J. E. Schmal and children returned on Thursday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Neenah.

Mrs. L. E. Colvin of Marshfield was in the city on Thursday to attend the funeral of Joe Kintner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kurnitz of Almond spent Sunday in the city visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. V. D. Simons of Eau Claire is spending a few days in this city visiting with friends and relatives.

Attorney D. D. Conway spent Monday at Wausau where he attended the funeral of the late T. E. Ryan.

Mrs. A. B. Suter and daughter Ethel returned on Sunday from a weeks visit with relatives in Green Bay.

Miss Lola Sebstot of Medford is spending a week in the city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gus Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank of Wausau spent Monday in this city. Mr. Frank being here to look after his business interests.

Miss Bess Normington was a guest of Ruth Hutchinson for a couple days last week. Miss Normington is from Marshfield.

Meow, L. M. Nash, M. Weeks and Hugh Bole were angled for trout in the Tomorrow river near Amherst on Sunday.

Miss Francis Jagodzinski, who is employed at the Hotel Mitchell in Tomahawk, is spending a three weeks vacation with her parents in Sigel.

Miss Ruth Hutchinson left Saturday for LaCrosse, where she will spend her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Leon LaSarge.

A good suggestion for those who have made up their minds to be thrifty will be found in this week's Ad of the First National Bank.

Andrew Lund, who has been visiting friends in this city since before the Fourth, left on Monday for Eau Claire to take up his work again.

Geo. N. Wood and Fred Stamm fished at Chester Creek on Sunday. While the catch was not numerous those they did get were of good size.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martenka, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Soden and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sedall spent Sunday in Stevens Point visiting at the Frank Martenka home.

Misses Mattie Powers and Imogene Hayward were guests at the Mrs. N. Johnson home several days last week, having come down to attend the dancing party at the pavilion.

The B. Helmsman Lumber Company's saw mill located near Merrill was totally destroyed by fire last Wednesday evening. The loss is reported to be \$40,000, covered by insurance.

Robert Nash spent several days in Milwaukee last week, he being one of the directors of the Wisconsin Retail Implement dealers association. He returned home on Monday morning.

Wausau Record.—L. E. Wilcox, manager of the drygoods department of the Johnson & Hill Co. store at Grand Rapids, is spending a two weeks vacation with his family at the Wilson cottage at Chain o' Lakes.

Charles Boklund, who has been at Delavan, Minn., for some time past, returned to this city on Tuesday. He expects to remain here for some time and be employed on a job of ditching near Meigs.

O. S. Hanson of Strongs Prairie and C. O. Chase of Stanley, N. D., were in the city on Friday and favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call. Mr. Chase is visiting at Mr. Hanson's place in Strongs Prairie.

Hansford Olosuit, who has been in Washington, D. C., since last winter, where he was employed in the census bureau, has resigned his position on account of poor health and returned to his home in this city last week to remain indefinitely.

George Arnett returned on Sunday night from a ten days trip in Minnesota, Iowa, Dakota and Montana. Mr. Arnett says he never saw as many idle men before as he saw in South Dakota, caused principally by the crop failure in that state. Mr. Arnett returns home well satisfied that Wisconsin is good enough for him.

Dining chairs for 75c. Couches from \$7.00 up. Dressers \$8.50 up. Go carts from \$1.95 up. Ottomans \$3.75 up. Kitchen cupboard \$9.95 up. Goods sold on monthly payments when desired. It is a pleasure to show you through our stock if you buy or not. Spafford Block, East Side, J. R. Ragan.—8t.

Miss Lena Stoen is visiting with friends in Stevens Point for several days.

Hans Carlson, agent at the St. Paul depot, transacted business in Milwaukee several days.

Mrs. Fred Kimmeler and children of Grand Rapids, Mich., are visiting in this city for a time.

Miss Helen Bronkalla of Milwaukee is spending two weeks in the city visiting with her parents.

Miss Ruth Livernash of Wausau visited with friends in the city several days the past week.

Jack Wollenchlagler left on Thursday for Sioux Falls, S. D., where he will take up his work again.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Warner are visiting with relatives and friends in Randolph for two weeks.

Miss Sophia Timm is in Merrill today to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Lillian Podawiltz.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Lester on Friday.

Mrs. Mistle Andross returned on Saturday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Caladoola, Minn.

Misses Selma Kruger and Helen Dickson have been engaged to teach in the Babcock schools for the coming year.

R. R. Williams, editor of the Marshfield Times, was a business visitor in the city between trains on Monday.

Miss Katharine Latus returned to her home in Green Bay on Sunday after spending a week visiting at the Paul Latus home.

Mrs. E. B. Clark and E. L. Graves spent several days last week at Eau Claire where they attended the dentists convention.

Mrs. W. A. Scott and children of Madison are in the city guests at the home of Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nash.

Miss Lena Sprocka, who has been employed as head waitress at the Hotel Dixon for several years, has resigned her position.

Mrs. John Vandenboom and children of Green Bay are spending a week in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Gross.

Misses Nan and Minnie Milne returned on Thursday from a plover where they had been visiting with friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson returned on Saturday from their club house up river where they had spent several weeks of the hot weather.

Arthur Popin, who is now on the road for a drug house, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city visiting with his mother, Mrs. M. Popin.

Mrs. Wm. Kling and children of Oakbrook are spending several weeks in the city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Knoll.

H. H. Hoyt, who purchased the Grand Theater some time ago, arrived in the city last week and expects to open the theater next Saturday.

Bert Nelson has been busy the past week erecting a handsome waiting station, 10x12 near the street car line the south side for the Central Pulp & Water Power Co.

Miss Fannie Merriam spent Sunday at Stevens Point visiting with friends. Will Merriam left recently for Ladysmith where he will be employed on a farm during the summer.

L. B. Margrey of the town of Sarnoga was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Tuesday. Mr. Margrey reports that they had a nice rain out his way on Monday, wetting things down nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bratton of Rudolph were among the callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday. Their daughter, Mrs. Walter Coulthart, who had been visiting them, left for her home in Canada last week.

Felix LaPointe of Marshfield is in a serious condition as a result of injuries sustained when the auto which he was driving turned turtle when he attempted to avoid a farmer's wagon on the Alondyko road. Several of LaPointe's ribs were broken.

Kirk Muir, who had been visiting his people in this city for a week, returned to the Wales sanitarium on Saturday to continue the treatment he has been taking there. Mr. Muir is looking and feeling fine and to all appearances has entirely recovered.

Joseph Marach of the town of Sherry was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Tuesday while in the city on business. Mr. Marach reports that oats will not turn out a very big crop in his locality, owing to the fact that much of the grain is lying down and it will be impossible to bind it.

Tomahawk Leader.—Miss Lenora Gogor left Tuesday evening for her home at Grand Rapids after a three weeks visit with her aunt and uncle, Mrs. John Landry and J. N. Meenier. She was accompanied home by Miss Guevieve Landry, who will spend a week at Grand Rapids and a few days at Neenah with friends.

Carl F. Kaertel, manager of the Grand Rapids Milling Co. plant at Amherst for the past fifteen years and a former Grand Rapids boy, has been promoted to be manager of the company's mill at Stevens Point to succeed H. H. Pangel the present manager, who resigned his position with the company, having purchased a flouring mill at Ashland.

If you are going to housekeeping call and get prices and look our stock over. You will find the largest and best selected stock of furniture in this vicinity. Will make special low prices. Our rug stock was never so complete. A good Brussels rug, 9x12 ft. for \$18.95. Spafford Block, East Side. J. R. Ragan.—8t.

Scandinavian Moravian Church.

Services will be held in the Scandinavian language on Sunday morning as usual.

There will be preaching in the Rudolph church in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

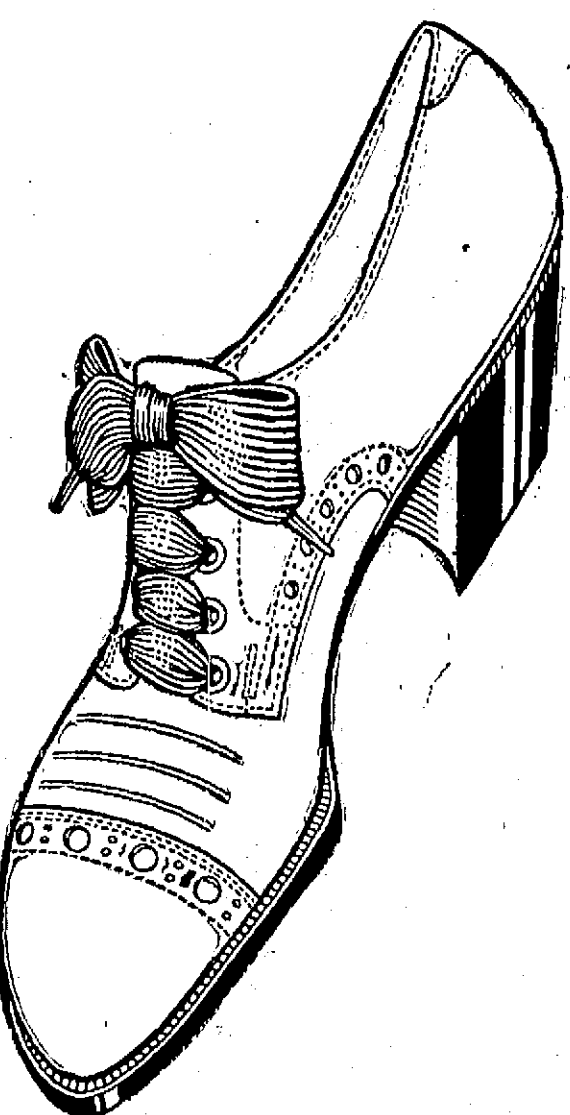
On Sunday, July 30 the pastor will preach in the morning in Scandinavian. In the afternoon he will hold services in Saratoga.

BIG WRECK OF PRICES

Clothing and Shoes

Starts at Our New Building on Saturday Morning, July 22nd

Thousands of Dollars worth of Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Shoes have met with a great wreck in prices.



Having enjoyed a larger business than ever this season, thanks to the many patrons of this store, we find our stock of Oxfords, Shoes and Clothing now wrecked in sizes and patterns. We have therefore determined to make a wreck of the prices, offering you a great money-saving opportunity of buying strictly high grade Shoes and Clothing. This great Price Wrecking Sale will be held in our new store where there is ample room to display every article mentioned in this sale.



SHOES AND OXFORDS

Men's, Women's, Misses' and Childrens

LOT 1—Women's Oxfords and Pumps, an assortment of broken sizes, includes patents, vici, kid and gun-metal, mostly small sizes, \$2.00 to \$3.50 values, Wrecked price	\$1.00
LOT 2—Women's patent, vici and gunmetal Oxfords and Ties, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. Wrecked price	\$1.48
LOT 3—Women's vici kid, patent calf or gunmetal Oxfords, Pumps and Ties, regular \$2.50 to \$4.00 values. Wrecked price	\$1.98
LOT 4—An assortment of Women's \$2.00 to \$2.50 high Shoes, velour calf and vici kids. Wrecked price	\$1.48
LOT 5—Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Oxfords, tans and blacks, W. L. Douglas make, exceptional bargains. Wrecked price	\$1.48
LOT 6—Men's \$3.00 to \$4.00 Oxfords, good styles, tans and blacks. Wrecked price	\$1.98
LOT 7—Special lot Men's \$3.50 tan Blucher Oxfords, seasons latest style. Wrecked price	\$2.28
LOT 8—Boys' \$2.50 gunmetal Blucher Oxfords. Wrecked price	\$1.85
LOT 9—Boys' \$2.00 black and tan Oxfords. Wrecked price	\$1.25
LOT 10—Childs' Slippers and Oxfords, tans and black, not a pair in the lot that sold for less than 1.50 to 2.00. Wrecked price	\$1.18
LOT 11—Men's brown mule skin Shoes, 1.50 values. Wrecked price	\$1.00

Fifty other Big Bargains that space will not permit us to mention. Come, look them over.

GREAT WRECK OF CLOTHING PRICES

Men's, Boys' and Children's

LOT 1—Men's assortment of 14.00 to 15.00 fancy Suit patterns. Wrecked price	\$10.98
LOT 2—Men's 12.00 and 14.00 Suits, assorted styles and patterns. Wrecked price	\$9.98
LOT 3—Men's extra good assortment of 10.00 and 12.00 Suits. Wrecked price	\$7.98
LOT 4—Men's 6.00 to 9.00 Suits. Wrecked price	\$5.98
LOT 5—Men's and Young Men's Suits, worth 5.00 to 8.00. Wrecked price	\$3.98
LOT 6—Men's working Pants, worth 1.75 to 2.25. Wrecked price	\$1.48
LOT 7—Men's working Pants, worth 1.25 and 1.50. Wrecked price	98c
LOT 8—Young Men's 1.00 Pants. Wrecked price	58c
Men's work Shirts, 50c values. Wrecked price	38c
Men's 1.00 Negligee Overshirts. Wrecked price	69c
Men's Closenette or Potous Underwear, 50c grade. Wrecked price	34c
Men's Union Suits, light weight, 1.00 grade. Wrecked price	68c
Men's light weight Drawers or Shirts, 50c grade. Wrecked price	23c
Men's Wash Ties, 25c grade. Wrecked price each	12c
Men's working Socks, 10c grade. Wrecked price	6c
Men's fancy 25c Hose. Wrecked price	15c
LOT 9—Boys' Two-piece Suits, worth 2.50 and 3.00. Wrecked price	\$1.98
Boys' Long Pants, worth 75c. Wrecked price	48c
Boys' Overalls, without bibs, 50c grade, wrecked price	29c
Boys' brown Kahki knickerbocker Pants, 50c grade, wrecked price	23c
Boys' short Knee Pants, worth 50c, wrecked price	33c
Boys' 1.00 Knee Pants, wrecked price	69c
Men's and Boys' Felt Hats, 1.50 to 2.50 values, wrecked price	88c

Many other bargains equally as good as these that space will not permit us to mention.

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No Favorites.

An exchange says that there never was a paper in any locality that gave all the news. Persons often go and come that the reporter does not see. It often happens that a family is missed several times. They get the impression that the paper does not care to mention them. It is a mistake. The paper has no ill feeling nor spite, nor enmity against anybody. Do not be afraid to give us items of interest. Perhaps you think the paper shows partiality, but try and see if it doesn't treat you well if given a chance. If you don't see us to tell us of a happening or news item at your home, use the telephone or drop it in the post office, but don't fail to give your name so we will know there is no mistake about it.—Kw.

Faith.

Credit is faith. Without faith business would stand still. Nothing big has been achieved without faith. The greatest industrial achievements were made successful by faith. Faith in the future of the business and faith inspired by the promoters of the industry. Success is not the result of more luck but rather of sheer pluck.—faith. Have faith in the development of Grand Rapids. Inspire faith by supporting the Commercial Club.

Municipal Reference Books.

The following books should be of special interest to members of our city council and other civic officials:

- Polevill—Sewerage: Construction and Maintenance.
- Hazon—Clean water and How to Get It.
- Hubbard—Water works Management and Maintenance.
- Tudson—Road Preservation and Dust Prevention.
- Warner—Street Cleaning and its effects.
- Rowe—Problems of City Government.
- Wilcox—Great Cities in America.

Public Library.

Cut His Finger.

George Babcock, who is employed in the plant of the Badger Box & Lumber Company, had the end of one of his fingers badly lacerated on Saturday, by getting the member in contact with one of the saws. It was necessary to amputate it at the first joint.

Illustrated Terminal Folder.

A complete pictorial folder describing the magnificent new Passenger Terminal of the Chicago and North Western Ry., Chicago, free upon application at Ticket Office. The North Western Line or address A. O. Johnson, P. O. Box 228, W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago—3t.

Poison Ivy.

The safeguard against this poison, is to learn it before you touch it. It differs from the harmless Virginia creeper which is so closely resembles, in the number of leaves. The poison ivy has only three leaves, while the other has five.

At first there are clusters of minute pimples, changing the next day to blisters, with intense itching, and surrounded with vivid red, lasting from five to ten days.

Washing the parts with a great deal of common cheap laundry soap has good results. Lime water or soda and water relieves. It protects the surface and prevents itching.

Poisoned wounds from stings and bites from bees and bugs are slight injuries unless irritating substances are carried in with the bite. When the skin around the bite turns black and blue, or has small blisters, call a doctor. Apply cold compresses and zinc ointment for the alleviation of the trouble.—July Woman's World.

More Booster Talk.

What is the matter with YOUR business?

It is human nature to be dissatisfied with one's business, the other fellow's business always seems to be full of profit, but you have your own business on your hands, probably cannot change it. Get busy, make profits. A little self examination may show you what is wrong. There are business doctors nowadays. They come high and generally earn their pay. If you employed one he would be apt to ask you first, Is your outfit, stock, and equipment as good as your competitors or are you trying to compete with up-to-date methods with back number ideas?

The other town often seems like the other fellow's business. Is Grand Rapids up-to-date? The Commercial Club is the business doctor. Get busy to the game, support the Commercial Club, and put Grand Rapids on the map. Team work counts.

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A girl or woman to cook at a summer cottage at Harbourside. Good wages and all expenses paid. Mrs. F. MacKinnon.

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The Golden Junk-Pile

By BERNARD MEER

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THE door of the barrel house opened and Snaggles, the hobo, was hustled into the street. It was not an occurrence particularly painful to the personal dignity of Snaggles, because he was used to it. From Minneapolis to Jacksonville, from Boston to San Francisco, and at all the railroad points between, he had been the complaining subject of similar attention, which were philosophically accepted by him as part of the unpleasant aspect of his profession.

To be hung from a comfortable barrel house on a rainy autumn evening, for no fault of his own, if it be not your failure to have collected your customary tax from the stray members of the body politic whose duty and pleasure it is to provide for the needs of the unregimented indigent, may not be especially depressing to the finer sensibilities of a man, but it is nevertheless a temporary inconvenience. It implies the gross necessity of certain quantity of money, and a certain quantity of mental work by no means joyful when the collection of direct taxes in the principal purpose of the labor. And when Snaggles, standing on the ultimate edge of the sidewalk, shifting himself from one foot to the other, and glancing along the vista of the street from right to left and from left to right, computed his chances for raising the wind, his mind was a trifle perturbed.

Earlier in the day Snaggles had arrived in the freight yard at Chicago after a highly unsatisfactory trip from Saint Paul, during the course of which he had been manhandled by various overactive and zealous guardians of the property of railroads; and his collections, since his advent in the town, had been anything if not distressingly light. The people to whom sympathy he had appealed, with that pungent story of just having been released from the hospital, had been apparently deaf and blind. The keepers of outlying taverns had automatically waved him away the moment he came in their sight. Blatant watch-dogs of the peace had eyed him with unusual interest and timidity, and even the natural dogs he had met with, vacillated and evaded themselves, had snarled at him as he passed them.

Now when the barrel house, your last available retreat in an up-to-date and wide-awake condition of human society, flings you into the street as an object altogether too heavy and cumbersome for the traffic, your social problems become personal and pressing. And that was the reason why Snaggles, though looking with expectant eye in either direction along the parallel lines of the brilliant lines from which his acquaintance and his poverty excluded him, was disposed to grumble a little at the flabby condition of the universe in general and the manifold shams of man. Money, as a visible and tangible entity, appeared to have been wholly eliminated from the transactions of the human kind.

Miles away from the spot in the slums where Snaggles was standing, the light from an ashlar palace streamed through glistening windows on the trees and shrubbery of the boulevard, and at the carriage door of the palace a huge auto was breathing impatiently as if it were eager for the touches of the man that was loitering at the wheel. The car had been waiting long, and the wheelman, although theoretically a part of the machine, and generally assumed to be devoid of all human failings whatever, had begun to complain and to curse under his breath at the perverse and diabolical malice, or the criminal neglect and apathy of his employers.

"Here they'll choke in there," he said, "whatever it is they're talking about! I wonder if they think a man ain't got a thing to do but wait around for 'em in the cold till they're rood and ready to go? I broke a date at the theater—bust here they come now!"

Warm light and the sound of voices raised to an excited pitch poured through the open doorway. There was a confused shuffling of feet and an interval of dead silence. The silence was broken by a confused mumble of dissent, disapproval, contradiction and disappointment, giving evidence of presence of several men and women all talking at once or all silent at once. And then the clear voice of a man rang out, almost in anger.

"Jennie, I forbid you—"

"Forbid fudge!" querulously answered the voice of a lady. "Forbid fiddlesticks, Randolph! Do you imagine that I am going to be a fool just because you are one yourself? I don't care if I have a headache, I have only three hours left! I don't care if I am, Randolph, or I'll scream! Do you comprehend? I'll scream, I'm perfectly calm, but I'll scream. I'll scream on the spot!"

The cracked demonic laugh of a man floated out of the doorway, and was followed by the lady of the voice herself. She paused a moment and spoke to someone within.

"Come on, Mr. Huntley! You know I have a right to do this, no matter what the boys say!"

The lady was respectfully obeyed by a clean-cut elderly gentleman with a beaming face and a restful eye, and then by a younger and more fashionable fellow, who peremptorily ordered the chauffeur to be gone, and took the place at the wheel himself. As the lady was about to enter the car she was manifestly troubled in spirit and she spoke to the young man who had substituted himself for the chauffeur.

"Dear me, Robert, where are you going to take us?"

"Leave it to me, Jennie! You and Mr. Huntley just get in, and I'll do the rest of it. Don't waste any time talking, Jennie. Get in, both of you!"

The machine was already shuddering, but the elderly gentleman leaned

pany to the guest of the evening, who was apparently Snaggles himself. The other thing that puzzled him was the unaccounted anxiety and impatience of nearly everybody in the place with concern to the hour and minute of the night. They seemed to be constantly consulting their watches, and giving vent to incoherent mutterings and rumblings of dissatisfaction that Snaggles could not understand.

He had scarcely become warm in the chair when the young man who had played the part of chauffeur came over to him and with a valiant pretense at goodfellowship touched him lightly on the shoulder.

"Bath, old boy?" he said. "How would you like a bath?"

Before he could make a reply, the former chauffeur, with the assistance of one of his younger and vigorous friends, took Snaggles by the arm and led him up a gorgeous stair, and into a shining marble bathroom, curiously heavy with the scent of strangely perfumed soaps and other mysterious materials of luxury, and hung with a wonderful variety of towels and brushes, the like of which had never before been seen by the human eye.

At his elbow, manfully, followed the kindly gentleman and his younger companion, who remained in the bathroom while the two young gentlemen, with the skill of professional rubbers, rapidly stripped the hobo, showered him, scraped him and scrubbed him with soap and rough masses of fibre, sprayed him, dipped him in the refreshing waters of the pool that shimmered in the corner, and rubbed him down with invigorating course towels. And then, as if to complete the work of their hands, they escorted him naked to a pleasant apartment nearby, changed him, cleaned, perfumed him, gave him soft and fleecy garments, white shirt and stiff high collar, patent leather shoes, and a full outfit of evening clothes from the top to the bottom of the buttolho. When this was done the former chauffeur jovially nudged him in the breast.

"Courage, old boy, you're a new



DAYS OF HOBO LIFE ARE OVER.

man now, and we'd like to have the honor of entertaining you at supper."

He was led by the four men down the stairway and into a softly illuminated dining room, where a table decorated with roses and wax tapers, and equipped for the service of a single eater, was waiting. Here, after the administration of brandy and insidious cocktails, they fed him with five or six courses of daintily cooked food, each one of which, reinforced by its appropriate wine, stimulated his appetite for the one that was to follow. Rare German carlets, generous nut-flavored sherries, port as old as the Braganzas and as thick as the blood of an ox, and subtle champagne from the right place in France, mingled their spirits with those of the invigorating food until Snaggles' face glowed with the life that was boundless. And then they led him back to the great salon of the palace and tendered him an open box of cigars.

The physical outward transformation of Snaggles was not more miraculous than that which had transpired within him. Already he had begun to feel that this was the normal, natural condition of his mind and body, and that those were the surroundings to which he had been accustomed from his birth. True, he was a trifle constrained when he thought of conversing at his ease, and he was constrained by the increasing anxiety of his now found friends, on whose faces was written a nervous and irritable impatience that grew with the passing of the hours. Snaggles could not help being struck again by the close watch that was maintained over him by his two mysterious guards, and the curious consultation of their watches by the company in general, the members of which seemed to be arguing among themselves in low and angry voices, out of which would come occasionally some strange remark about an absent one.

"Fang the old fool!" said one of them in a tone of disgust. "Why couldn't he act like a gentleman instead of putting us to all this infernal bother?"

But the argument, whatever it was, was apparently ended, for his hosts suddenly surrounded him, one of them seeming to act as the spokesman for the others.

"Delaney," said this gentleman, with a poorly repressed look of disgust, as if he did not like to do it, but had to, "you are a lucky man. Your days of hobo life are over. You have fallen into a soft berth, Delaney, and you can make up your mind for easy living the rest of your mortal days. You're going to live in Easy Street, Delaney, with a valet to wait on you, and all the good grub and booze you can eat and drink thrown in. We'll give you everything you ask for, Delaney—everything. You can have feather beds in winter, if you want 'em, and electric fans, or refrigerated rooms, if you want 'em, in the summer. All you'll have to do is live, you know, Delaney—live and let people wait on you. What do you say to that?"

What did he say to that? It was a question.

Machine to Fill Knot Holes. Boxes containing knot holes are not scarce, and in some localities the lumber used for the box holes is full of such blemishes, with the result that 20 per cent of the total board footage has to be discarded. A machine, invented by a California, saws out the knot-hole, producing holes of uniform size. The same machine also saws the plugs for the holes; the work being done by two small bands saws. The plugs are cut from waste blocks

of a thickness that corresponds with that of the boards to be plugged. The plugs, being cut slightly larger than the holes made for them, fit snugly and are held firmly in place by small crimping nails, which leave both the inner and outer surfaces perfectly flush and smooth. Popular Magazine.

Not Up to Him. Teacher—Tell me! How do you prove that the earth is round? Dull boy—Smart Pup!—I never said it was!

To begin with, Snaggles was not particularly impressed with the face of the spokesman, or with his peculiar manner of address, and Snaggles, to end with, was wonderfully emboldened and befuddled with wine. He looked severely at the spokesman, in whose face, without special intent, he blew a cloud of smoke from the cigar. He stared impudently into the faces of the circle, unable to interpret the eager questioning of their eyes, but seemingly alive to the fact that in one way or another, for one reason or another, he, to them, was an important factor in the game they were playing, whatever the game may have been. He began to feel that he had the advantage of them; that he was their master in a way, and that he, not they, was the party to make the terms. What did he say? This is what he said:

"Don't I get any money at all?"

It was certainly astonishing how they were all consulting their watches—astonishing in the highest degree. But astonishment was intensified beyond all human power of expression when the former chauffeur suddenly seized Snaggles by the collar and elbow, rushed him out of the room, out through the long hall to the rear, out through the back yard, and through the gate of the back yard, and dumped him in a ditch that had been left by some workmen in the alley.

For a few moments Snaggles lay on his back and looked up at a bright star that was shining serenely above him. He lay on his back because his mind was as yet unconnected with the actual things around him. There was a star up there, and a ditch here below on the earth; but his mind itself was still saturated with the luxurious and insidious pleasures of the night, and he was dwelling in the midst of the things from which it had been so suddenly and violently torn. But the wholly incomprehensible nature of the proceeding, to say nothing of his quick contact with the cool air, and with the cooler bottom of the ditch, soon recalled him to the red realities of existence. To his rapidly clarify-

ing perception it was beginning to appear that he had been idly dreaming somewhere in a box car and had been suddenly jolted awake. And yet he was forced to dismiss this foolish impression as he became conscious of the high stiff collar that circled his throat, the texture of the downy downy habit that clothed him. He scrambled out of the ditch and stood glaring at the lights in the ashlar palace, his head nodding with the tremendous mental effort he was making to square himself with the curious facts within that ashlar palace and the astounding facts without. While in this attitude he was yet again amazed by the reappearance of his late assailant, who flung open the gate and approached him.

"Sorry, old boy! Deuced sorry!" he laughed in a dismal, hollow fashion, like a man in a fortune teller's. And yet in spite of all that he cordially shook hands with Snaggles, so that his words and actions gave the lie to his laugh. "Made a mistake, don't you know. Didn't mean to do it, at all, don't you know. Come back, old boy! They are waiting for you."

And Snaggles now observed that the two men who had accompanied his capricious manhandler, and formed an escort for the return trip to the house, were his former friends, the guards. They worried him, those guards. Why were they watching him so closely and sticking to him so tightly? And what was the meaning of that extraordinary crazy quality of fact of which he himself was the principal bit of insanity? Snaggles, in short, was beginning to get his bearings. It was all true that while accustomed to all sorts of strange adventures, and to quick changes of many kinds in the ups and downs of his profession, he had been dazzled and diverted a little by the unusual setting of the stage in the present performance. But his recent dip into the cool air had brought him to his senses. It was all true that this was not a merry jest, rigged up for the amusement of the ladies and gentlemen in that big house on the boulevard. Not a jest by any means. And he now proposed to himself that he would go through with it to the end, and turn it to his advantage if he could. The opportunity presently came, or apparently came, when he had been seated in his comfortable chair and the status quo ante restored, with the guards remounted in their old positions, and everybody with him in his old post as before.

Again the spokesman turned a somersault about the chair, eager in face and attitude.

"Delaney, we are sorry that our young friend here was so hot-headed and precipitous in rushing you out and throwing you into the ditch in that imprudent fashion. Sorry, indeed, old man. Really sorry, don't you know. By the way, I believe it was your remark about the money that irritated him. He said, 'I'm sorry for it, now, and we hope that you will see your way clear to forgetting it. Disagreeable things happen to us all, once in a while, old man; to all of us. I say, Delaney,

here's a hundred-dollar bill for you! Do you want it?"

His hand trembled as he held the money extended, and his eyes were fixed on his own watch, now on the face of the trap.

But the spirit of Snaggles had been roused. He looked at the money, and then at the man, and then at the company in general; and he recovered his nerve as he spoke.

Was this here money counterfeit? Oh, no! It was as good as gold.

In that case Mr. Delaney would explain his position. True, he was a hobo. There was no way about that. And he was a hobo that was in no wise disposed to come to blows with people who could feed him on champagne and throw him in a ditch. But if the ladies and gentlemen believed he was a fool, they were banking on the wrong card. He was an American citizen with a vote. And if his time was worth money to the ladies and to the gentlemen in convention here assembled, it was certainly worth money to himself. Was it a merry jest they were trying to put over on him? Not then. Ladies and gentlemen, except when they are drunk, do not pick up hoboes, bathe them and shave them, nurse them back to life with cocktails and then offer them hundred dollar bills—for fun. Drunk ladies and gentlemen were one thing. Sober ladies and gentlemen were another. And in view of the fact that the ladies and gentlemen in this here crowd were as sober as crows, it was plain they had a game in their sleeve and that coin was being passed—with him as the pigeon. Take the hundred? Well, he would not exactly refuse, but he wasn't no drink and hand-out man, and he wanted his share or he was gone.

While he was speaking they were looking at their watches, apparently oblivious to what he was saying; and when he had finished, they began the muttering again. The muttering settled into a dull and angry impression, but they were directed not at Snaggles, for he could hear above the noise of it an oath now and then consigning "the old fool" to places of spiritual unrest. The manhandler was reaching for him again, but this time he was stopped by the gentleman of the restful eye.

"A moment!" he said, in a voice of command. "Let the hobo retire under guard!"

It was a pity that Snaggles was wholly unfamiliar with the climaxes and catastrophes of the ancient Greek drama. Had he not been so he would have been highly entertained by the story that was subsequently published in the newspapers, when the matter became one of court record in which all details were laid bare. Snaggles did not read the story, having been paid a fee of one hundred dollars by the kindly faced gentleman at an interview the following day—a fee for the part he had taken in the game—and was now busily engaged in spending the money. But here is what happened when Snaggles, under escort of the younger guard, was conducted to a remote apartment on the second floor of the house.

"Order!" exclaimed the elderly gentleman. "The time is nearly up and must state the case before closing the business of the night."

They seated themselves impatiently. They were obviously tired of it all, as of a game they had played and had lost. But the speaker went on.

"In the transactions that are rapidly nearing their end," he said, "I believe that none of you can justify accuse me of unfairness. Perhaps there are those who regard me as an interloper taking advantage of the law to restrain from them wealth that is rightfully his not technically their own. Perhaps there are those among you who will say that in seeking to divert this wealth to channels in which it would not otherwise flow I have disclosed in my own character the common human failing that prompts us to better ourselves at the expense of our neighbors. Perhaps it is true. Perhaps it is not. We will pass all that. My only purpose in mentioning it is to call your attention to the fact that I am not unaware of the suspicion of the falling or even of the falling itself."

He paused a moment, as if in thought, and when he resumed, he did so with a sarcastic smile and a distinctly dry tone in his voice.

"The experiments we have made together have cost you fifty thousand dollars, which is precisely ten per cent of the sum that each of the eight of you would have received from the partition of the estate of your late cousin, to whom I have heard some of you refer in recent conversations as the old fool. To charge a man with being a fool because he seems fit to dispose of five million dollars of his own money in a rather eccentric fashion may or may not be the best of wisdom. I cannot, at the same time, refrain from remarking that the event has amply shown that he was anything but the fool you think him."

"What are the facts, my friends? The facts, my friends, are these: Your late cousin, having been left in his youth to bustle for himself, was abandoned and neglected by yourselves at least by the older ones among you, who had been made the favorite heirs of an uncle, to the exclusion of your recent kinsman. Did your cousin complain at his fate, or curse the rich man who had deliberately left him a pauper? Ah, no! He did nothing of the kind, my friends. If I may drop into the expressive slang of the day, he got busy with himself and built up an immense fortune in iron. Beginning as a small dealer in rags and junk, he ended as one of the large stockholders in the steel trust. And when, at last, the time came to retire, he left his wealth behind him, and go to that reward which awaits all those who have been cautious and careful in the vale of tears and place of probation we call the world. Did he out without hope the cousins who had been unkind to him? No, again, my friends. True, he did not fling you the money out of hand—he left it to the eight of you, share and share alike, and only on one condition. That condition seemed simple enough, to be sure. You were to divide within six months from a certain date a person who would refuse to accept one hundred dollars when it was offered.

IS DESCENDANT OF ROYALTY?

Beautiful New York Girl Who Belongs to the Extinct Dynasty of Hawaii.

New York.—Of the few descendants who remain of the royal house of Hawaii there are at least two who are residents of this country. These are Miss Anna Douglass Graham, of New York, and her mother, who is the wife of the famous Dutch painter, Hubert Vos. Mrs. Vos before her first marriage to Mr. Graham was the Princess Kailikani. Miss Graham is one of the most beautiful young ladies in the metropolis and was one of the six bridesmaids of Vivien Gould at her recent marriage to Lord Deedes. It is now reported that she is to become the



Miss Anna Douglass Graham.

bride of Jay Gould, the youngest son of George Gould.

The former Queen of Hawaii, Liliuokalani, whose name is rarely mentioned now in the newspapers, is living at Honolulu, where she still keeps a little court. For years she made periodical visits to Washington to press her claims against the government for the value of the old crown lands which formerly were invested in her and which now form the public domain. But Washington would not be convinced that she had any rights in this particular and apparently she has given up the fight and will probably never again leave her island home.

The native Hawaiians are still deeply attached to their former queen. On her birthday all Hawaii floods to the ex-Queen's home in Washington place and pays court to her in that pretty home in the old, old way, with the aliis, or nobles, wearing the ahukulas about their shoulders and the kilis standing solemnly in the corner in token of royal dignity.

Liliuokalani was dethroned in the revolution of 1893, when a provisional government was declared, with Sanford Dole at its president. Annexation to the United States was then sought, but upon the refusal of President Cleveland to sanction it the republic of Hawaii was proclaimed an independent state in 1894. In 1898 during the administration of President McKinley Hawaii was annexed to the United States.

HOUSE BUILT IN A TREE TOP

Two Ravenswood, Ill., Boys Construct a Comfortable Domicile in a Big Willow.

Ravenswood, Ill.—A tree house "kind of different" is now being built in the Chicago suburbs by two boys, Robert Broadbent and Charlie Brann, in the first place it takes two big willow trees to hold up this house and it is substantially stayed by a third.

Then there is more pretention about this house than most tree structures, for it has an L, there are to be two rooms, and on top there will be a roof garden. Ever hear of a roof garden on top of a tree house?

The house will be illuminated by electricity and it will be substantially furnished for both summer and winter use. The squirrels as a rule make use of tree houses in Chicago in winter, but Mr. Fluffy Tail, his gray coat and wife and his family will have to keep out of this one, for it's going to be occupied even when the wind blows cold, and snows cover the garden overhead to the depth of a foot or more.

They were muttering and grumbling again and the speaker held up his hand.

"We have five minutes left," he said, "and you must remember that the game is not lost until the hour. He had not refused the money when I recalled him from the ditch, but neither had he accepted it. He has not accepted it yet. I wish to be fair. I will recall him."

As he walked to the door at the head of the stair the company rose from their seats in a babble of talk. But the babble subsided at the sound of a fierce struggle on the stairway, and later in the hall and the reception room, and Snaggles, his collar waving and his coat all torn, appeared at the door.

"Leave go of me, will you?" he roared to the young man who was trying to restrain him. "Where's the boss?"

And having spotted the man who had offered him the money, "Boss," said Snaggles, "give me the hundred and I won't want a cent of your velvet!"

Room for Doubt. "It used to be that when we met a man who could wash and mend his own clothes and who could wash dishes and cook we took him to be a sailor."

And now? "Now we don't know whether he is a sailor or the husband of a suffragette."—Houston Post.

Gets \$125,000 Pipe Organ. New York.—A \$125,000 pipe organ, the largest and finest chamber organ in the world, has been installed in the \$10,000,000 Fifth Avenue residence of ex-Senator W. A. Clark of Montana. It occupies one end of the senator's main picture gallery. The organ was built in Los Angeles and contains 4,600 pipes. Its owner has been engaged as his organist Arthur Scott Brook, who was president of the grand organ at the Chicago world's fair.

Read the Little Book, "The Road to Wellville," in pipe, there's a reason. Ever read the above letter? It appears from time to time. They are false, true, and full of human interest.

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The Humorous Hat. "Iins sho any sense of humor?" "I don't think so. She can look at her hat without laughing."—Lippincott's.

Just So. "Why do they call a bell boy in a hotel 'bottons'?" "Because he's always off when you need him most, I guess."

SASKATOON offers property to farmers in every branch. Get a farm in Saskatoon district and you have a family's future need worry no more. You were not intended to live and the striving merely to make ends meet. Half the work here would save you your bank account. Be fair to yourself. Don't waste more time. Write Commissioner, Board of Trade, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Western Canada.

No Wedding Day Bargains. The Husband (during the quarrel).—You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didn't?

The Wife—Yes, sir; on my wedding day.

A Busy Place. "Where is that spot you call the 'lovers' lane'?" "Apparently aside the young man while the young lady waits on the hotel piazza."

"Right down yonder," replies the clerk. "Just keep going until you see the porter from the barber shop. 'Lovers' lane' is so crowded now that we have him stationed there to give the guests checks, so that each may have his turn."—Judge's Library.

Burglar Befriended Him. A burglar was arrested for robbing a house up the state some time since, and the next morning the victim rushed wildly into the magistrate's office. As soon as he could get his breath to working again he told the official that he had come to see about the prisoner.

"Glad you came down," was the affable response of the magistrate. "I suppose you want to appear against him."

"Well, guess not!" exclaimed the victim with a glad smile. "I want to kiss him on the brow and give him \$10. Among other things he has been working from the house was a package of love letters that I wrote to my wife before we were married."

NATURALLY.



Hlx—Did you notify the police of the robbery?

Dix—Yes, and I am expecting any moment to hear that they have arrested the wrong man.

WRONG SORT

Perhaps Plain Old Meat, Potatoes and Bread May Be Against You for a Time.

A change to the right kind of food can lift one from a sick bed. A lady in Weldon, Ill., says:

"Last spring I became bed-fast with severe stomach troubles accompanied by sick headache. I got worse and worse until I became so low I could scarcely retain any food at all, although I tried about every kind."

"I had become completely discouraged, and given up all hope, and thought I was doomed to starve to death, until one day my husband, trying to find something I could retain, brought home some Grape-Nuts."

"To my surprise the food agreed with me, digested perfectly and without distress. I began to gain strength at once. My flesh (which had been flabby), grew firmer, my health improved in every way and every day, and in a very few weeks I gained 20 pounds in weight."

"Grape-Nuts so well that for four months I ate no other food, and always felt as well satisfied after eating as if I had sat down to a fine banquet."

"I had no return of the miserable sick stomach nor of the headaches, that I used to have when I ate other food. I am now a well woman, doing all my own work again, and feel that life is worth living."

"Grape-Nuts food has been a God-send to my family; it surely saved my life, and my two little boys have thriven on it wonderfully." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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Why Not?
Many democrats believe that a 20 per cent duty is not necessary on wool in order that the necessary \$15,000,000 revenue may be derived for the benefit of the government. But those same people forget that raw silk and raw rubber are admitted absolutely free to this country, a 20 per cent duty on these two imports would more than make up for the revenue lost should wool be put on the free list. More people use wool than use silk and rubber, and more people would be benefited by putting wool on the free list while the rich would pay for the silk and rubber. Why the cry?—Fapillon (Neb.) Times.

Notwithstanding the fact that Governor Davidson two years ago advised the legislature that the state and normal schools to answer the needs of the educational system for years to come, and the further fact that we have the largest normal school system in the union, the demand of localities for one of these institutions continues. Rhineland is the latest candidate to get a bill through the assembly authorizing the state to select a site for a new normal school. Four other applications were defeated. If the legislature is to select a site for a new normal school every two years, those of the coming generation may expect eventually to see a palatial quarter million dollar building in every county, erected and maintained at state expense.—Jackson County Journal.

The legislature which has finally adjourned will be remembered among other things as the only legislature for many years which has failed to inform the people of the state of the total amount of the tax burden which it has put upon them. All the people know, and that only in a general way, is that the total is far in excess of that of any previous year.—Milwaukee Free Press.

May Be Good a Thing.
Section two of a law passed by the legislature now in session provides that:
"No person shall publicly drink any intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any smoking car, parlor car or day coach of a steam railroad or interurban railroad."

The evident intent of this provision is to put a stop to drinking from bottles, which is sometimes practiced by passengers, and not to interfere with the serving of drinks with meals on dining and buffet cars. Another section of the same act, however, provides a penalty for any person or corporation:
"Who shall knowingly permit any person to drink any intoxicating liquor as a beverage in any train or on a steam railroad or interurban railroad or coach."

This section would seem to absolutely prohibit the drinking of intoxicants on all railroad or interurban trains in the state.

Nursery Inspector.
Gov. McGovern has appointed Prof. J. G. Sanders of the college of agriculture, professor of economic entomology, to be inspector of orchards and nurseries, in accordance with chapter 484 of the laws of 1911.

Under this law all nursery stock must be inspected before sold, to guard against insect or parasite pests. Nurserymen are required to pay an annual license of \$5 for five acres or less and \$10 for more than five acres.

ARPIN
Song service at 10:30. Sabbath school at 11 a. m. Mr. Patterson of Wauchesa says he can preach to the people in Arpin the last Sunday in August if they will come out to hear him. If they come they will never be sorry.
The report is prevalent that Wm. Schmitt Jr. is the happy dad of a daughter. Mother and daughter are doing fine.
Mrs. John Kurtz and daughter have returned to their home in the town of Hanon. Mrs. Kurtz says Wood County looks good to her. Wood County is about the only place there is very much hay this year. Corn also looks good. Some patches of potatoes look fine. They will surely be a good price this fall. In the southern part of the state they are very poor not more than two or three potatoes in a hill and if they don't get some rain very soon they won't grow big enough to sell. Corn is the only crop that looks good in the southern part of the state.
The fellows in Wood County have about as good an outlook for a living next winter as any place.

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NEKOOSA
(From the Times)
The final work of making the new cement sidewalk on the north side of the Nekooosa-Bellevue Paper Co.'s property—on the north side of the property—began Saturday. Up to Saturday evening they had laid some eight or ten squares of the cement, and it looks fine. It will be considerably improved to the appearance of Main street. The work is now about completed as far as the railroad tracks.

A. C. Duncan, who for nearly a year has had charge as foreman of the finishing room at the Nekooosa paper mill, has resigned his position and left Saturday for Chicago, where he will visit friends. Mr. Duncan has taken a position with the Co. as salesman and will go on the road after a few weeks vacation. Alex, as he was known to those most intimate with him, made very many friends in his short stay here and he was held in the very highest esteem by all, the number of his friends being the exact number of his acquaintances. He is a young man who attends strictly to his own business, does not meddle with affairs of others, is absolutely honest, upright and just, is courteous and kind to all. We wish him success in his new field.

Work began last week on the boat house proper, that is being constructed by the Nekooosa-Bellevue Paper Co. and the village of Nekooosa. May Horrick has charge of the cement construction, which is a guarantee that it will be well done.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Brandt returned Monday from a visit of several days with his parents at Radolph. Their little daughter, Myrtle, and Mrs. Brandt's brother, of Chicago, who has been visiting here, remained at Radolph for some extended visit.
Mrs. Wm. Lawrence, who returned about two weeks ago from a six weeks' stay at Grand Rapids hospital, where she underwent a surgical operation, was again taken to the same hospital Tuesday, a second operation being necessary.

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PITTSVILLE.
(From the Record.)
Dr. G. H. Pahrn and Banker H. Barney, both of Neeshah, were in the city Sunday of this week on business with P. S. Woodworth. It is Mr. Barney's first visit to this section and he expressed himself very much pleased with the outlook. As he said, "no one could have convinced him that this country was as good as it is as far advanced," but seeing is believing, and there is now one more to sing the praises of Pittsville.

The two hardware concerns in this city report a big sale of farm machinery this spring. Both have been obliged to place extra orders on certain machines and there will be sales for a month yet. This all goes to show that the farmer has faith in the community as well as the season, and added sales each year tell in silent accents of the advancement of the community.

A good story is being told of the recent legislature. At its convention the members were standing about a place made famous for conviviality getting acquainted. There were the usual questions of "where are you from?" etc., and noting that one of the members had stood back and apparently taken no voice in the meeting, the spokesman drawing near him said, "And where might you be from, friend?" The fellow drew a deep breath and with all the courage he could muster, replied, "From Adams county, now laugh, damn you."

Rev. A. P. Klein shipped his household goods to Earl, in Washburn county, Saturday of last week. Rev. and Mrs. Klein have been spending the remainder of the time in the city with friends and leave tomorrow for Earl where he has taken a call.
Work on the new bridge to span Yellow River was commenced Friday of last week when the unloading of two cars of material was commenced by the man sent here by the company from Illinois who have the contract.

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SARATOGA
Miss Barbara Homerk of Detroit, Mich., is spending the summer at the home of her uncle, Chas. Dietrich, near Kautseson and Fred Gabenberger left for Illinois Saturday.
A number of our young people were pleasantly entertained at the Hjerstedt home at Kellner Friday evening. Services were held at the Union church Sunday conducted by Mr. Weisenburt. He was accompanied by Rev. Mellicke.

Peter Kautseson spent a few days at home during the past week.
The annual Sunday school picnic was held in the grove near the church last Thursday. There was a large number of people in attendance.
Anna Peterson was ill several days last week.
John Peterson Sr. lost a valuable horse Sunday.

Miss Floesie Snyder accompanied by her aunt of Stevens Point were in this vicinity Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. Nels Jansen is caring for her little niece of Grand Rapids during the illness of the latter's mother.
Ed. Hansen of Port Edwards spent Sunday at home.

REMINGTON
(The Last of Last Week.)
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Miller and children of Grand Rapids are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sanger.
Victor Karboosek and Joe Seebuck left for Minneapolis where they have been working on the dredge.
Mr. and Mrs. Searls and family are going to move to the state of Washington in September.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wales have gone to housekeeping at Babcock.
C. S. Lowe was a business caller at Grand Rapids on Saturday and Sunday. He also visited at Kellner.

Ed. Daniels was a Grand Rapids visitor last Saturday.
Miss Minnie White returned from Grand Rapids where she visited relatives.
Rose Sanger of this place and her cousins, Elma and Willie Sanger of Grand Rapids departed for Milwaukee last week to spend a few days with relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Hass entertained a party of their friends on the 4th of July and celebrated. All enjoyed a nice time.
George Rodie of Nekooosa was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. F. Hass last Sunday.

Friends of Joseph James will be sorry to learn that his health is very poor at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wales entertained Mrs. Wm. Plunkett of New Lisbon one day last week.
Veronica Karboosek and husband of Green Bay were here to spend the 4th at the parental home.
Miss Meata Hass is home from Grand Rapids visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hass.

Potatoes and corn are looking fine after Sunday's showers. Small grain is also in good condition. The farmers are busily engaged in cutting their rye which is a fair crop.
Miss Lena Rutz is on the sick list this week.
Our roads are in fine condition now. Thanks to the officers of our town board for the good work that has been done.

Mrs. Geo. Severson and sister, Miss Agnes Koonen visited with friends here last Friday.
Miss Laura Rutz of Tomah was home to spend the 4th with her parents. She was accompanied by her friends, Misses Burgess and of Tomah.
August Rutz is home from Iowa to help his parents on the farm.

Mrs. Wm. Plunkett and daughter, Leola of New Lisbon were guests at the Bowden home last week.
The Warner Dredge Co. moved their camping outfit towards North Bluff on Monday.
Mrs. John Rutz and two children of Milwaukee were guests at the Rutz home last week.

Edward Rodie of Nekooosa is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. R. F. Hass.
Adolph Sanger of Nekooosa visited the parental home here the fore part of last week. He was accompanied by his friends, Edward Beck of Oakbrook and Wm. Adamsnack of Nekooosa.

BIRON
Miss Netta Akoy arrived here Thursday morning from Mission, Texas, where she has been living with her uncle, E. J. Akoy and family during the winter months. Miss Netta delights in telling of her trip. At Houston she met a number of her friends who were visiting there, and they were a dinner at St. Louis, Mo., in honor of Miss Netta. They stayed with her until her departure late in the evening. Arriving in Chicago Wednesday morning she was met by Dr. Ralph Hulet, whom she had the pleasure of meeting in the south, and was entertained by the Hulet family that day. Several weeks previous to her departure from the south she witnessed a Bull Fight in Mexico. Of all interesting and exciting things, Miss Netta claims this was certainly the most. She expects to return in the fall.
Max Zenro has resigned his position at the mill.
Little Joy Atwood was on the sick list last week.
Mrs. O. Laughlin and little daughter, Viola, arrived here Saturday from Jamestown, N. Dakota, to visit for a while with friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff DeMars and Miss Bertha Akoy went to Rochester, Minn., last Thursday where Mr. DeMars is being treated at the world famous St. Mary's hospital. Miss Akoy returned Sunday. As the institution is so busy it may be some little time before Mr. DeMars will be operated on.
Misses Pearl Akoy and Mildred St. Louis are visiting at Mosheim this week, the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Eugene Croteau and husband.
Mrs. Orlene Sipe was on the sick list last week.
C. Snyder and lady friend of your city spent Sunday with the former's brother, Steve, and family.

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KELLNER
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Knipple are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl as their home the 10th of this month.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Grauger returned to their home at Packwaukee last week.
The very sudden death of Mrs. Aug. Pribanow occurred last Monday evening, July 10th cause of death being heart failure. She was 69 years, 4 months and 18 days old. The funeral took place at the Lutheran church, interment being made in the Lutheran cemetery, Bay. A. Kresche officiating. The pallbearers were: Albert Timm, W. Witt, Albert Knoll, P. Taggart, F. Buss and R. Hanpauann.

Miss Crystal Minnow returned from an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Ely of Spring Creek.
Ben VanGorden is working for Nate Swends on the big marsh. He reports crops to be first rate.
Mrs. Wm. Braustadt consulted different doctors up the line last Saturday.

There will be no services at the Lutheran church next Sunday as the Rev. A. Kresche will be at Park Falls on professional duty on that day.
Fred Sernan is working for the Kellner Coal Co., in your city.
Miss Olga Anderson returned to her home in Chicago last Sunday after an extended visit with the Hjerstedt family.

Mrs. A. Kresche was on the sick list the fore part of the week.
Master David Taggart, who was seriously kicked by a horse, is improving slowly from his injuries.
A shut-out base ball game was played in our burg last Sunday the score being 5 to 0 in favor of the visiting team. A. Sparks umpired.

MEEHAN
Miss Emma Sanders of Stevens Point was the guest of Miss Anna Lutz Sunday.
Leon Snaat of Stevens Point was a caller here last week.

Our next term of school will begin Aug. 7th. Miss Delmas Biron of Stevens Point has been engaged to teach.
Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Davis of Stevens Point were among the many who were searching for blueberries here last week.
J. E. Gustaf and family and Harold Beggs of Alameda came up here Sunday and spent the day with friends. Miss Mollie Gustaf, who had been visiting here last week, returned home with them.
Orin Clemmensen started his threshing machine Monday morning. Rye is the principal grain crop here and many large fields are now ready to be threshed. It is a good crop this year although the dry weather damaged some of the late sowing.

ALTDORF
The Altdorf base ball team defeated the Cranmore team Sunday by a score of 13 to 9, thereby evening up matters again.

Dr. S. J. Lewis and family of Milwaukee visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. O. J. Lee last Thursday and Friday. They made the trip in their automobile, making the journey in a little less than ten hours.
John Schiller had the misfortune of crushing one of his fingers and nearly cutting off the same, by having the drive wheel of the binder fall on it while making some repairs.

Haying is about done and it is time too as it is getting ripe very fast. Barley and rye are cut. Oats will be a very poor crop as they are so badly lodged that they are not tilting well. Besides it is going to be a very difficult matter to harvest them. Corn is still good but needs moisture, so keep the cultivator going to save what there is.
F. Wuerch has a new 7 1/2 horse power gasoline engine, which he will use in filling silos, etc.

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Miss Alma Knuth, who is employed at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Waters, is gone for a week or two to help her folks on the farm after which she expects to resume her duties in the Rapids again.
A. Hefermann, who is employed at the Oberbeck Bros. furniture factory in your city spent Sunday in this burg as a guest at the Ziemann home.
A big dance will be given by the Otto Bros. next Saturday evening, July 22nd.

A number of young folks spent Sunday evening with Alma, Elsie and Carl Knuth. Those present were: Edna, Wilbur and Alvin Ott, Art Henke, Ella and Carl Haebeck, Ella, Martha and Otto Garbrecht, Clara Ziemann, Al and Lydia Hefermann, William Appel and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Knuth and daughters Ethel and Angeline.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klevin entertained a few of their intimate friends at a banquet Sunday, July 16th.
Mrs. Aug. Fisher spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Ehlert at Sauces.
Miss Pauline Schultz spent Sunday with Mrs. Albert Stahl, nee Anna Gaulke.

Alma Syring, who is employed at Dr. Pomerville's home, is home for a two weeks vacation.
Mr. and Mrs. Ohas. Ristow spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haebeck in this burg.

Miss Laura Mathews left last week for Milwaukee where she will visit with friends for a while.
Clara Syring is working in her sister's place during her absence.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Olke spent Sunday in the Rapids at Ernest Appel's.

Marcia Polensky is laid up with a sore foot. Dr. Hogen is in attendance.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Falcowski and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knuth spent the Fourth with their father here. Not quite can they forget that they still have a father.

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RUDOLPH
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Sharkey burned to the ground Saturday evening. The origin of the fire is unknown as they were not at home. They left the house all night and no fire in the stove. They had gone to the home of his brother Joe, three miles distant to spend the evening about an hour before. The fire was first seen by men at the station who immediately went down there and succeeded in getting out most of the things down stairs except those in the part where the fire started and that was where most of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sharkey's things were. Some things were saved from up stairs but not many, a couple of bookshelves and a radio. All of Dave Sharkey's things were burned. Harvey Morgan got his suit case out. Mr. Sharkey carried \$200 insurance on the house, \$200 on furniture and \$50 on provisions.
Mrs. Stella Sharkey and two children of Parrish are spending two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Simon Crockett. Don't forget the hard time Dave Sharkey had Thursday evening, July 20.
Will Clark and family came over from Milwaukee in their auto and spent a few hours with his parents Thursday evening.
John Harvey, traveling salesman for a country supply company, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Jackson and mother, who is visiting her daughter.
Mrs. Wendell Murch of Stevens Point is visiting friends here for a few days. Mr. Murch came Saturday and he and his wife spent Sunday at the Kaniel Maroon home returning Monday to visit his brother Fred in the town of Carson. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Murch expect to make their future home in Elkhart.
Dave Sharkey went up to Mosinee Friday evening.
Miss Mary Grab, who has been in Stevens Point for some time past, is spending the week with Mrs. Geo. Elliott.
Miss Margaret McCord of Chicago is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Oliver Akay.
Mrs. Frank Whitman has been quite sick with a very bad cold and sore throat.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hume went up to Glenshaw Wednesday morning to visit at the home of their son George.
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Benson returned Friday evening from Glenshaw where they had been since Wednesday morning visiting their brother George.
Mr. and Mrs. Blumer Crockett have come back here to live. They will soon get their furniture from Bancroft. Some of our farmers are beginning to stack their hay.
Kaniel Maroon is helping Oliver Dudley of Grand Rapids, who is working on his farm in South Rudolph. They are making hay.
Dave Sharkey and John Little wrestled in Maroon's hall Thursday evening. Little won in two straight falls. The first in 31 minutes and the second in 36 minutes. A preliminary match between Lloyd Ratelle and Lonnie Jacoby gave a little amusement for the crowd. The boys each got \$1.35. There was a full house, a number coming up from the Rapids and down from Mosinee.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sharkey of Mosinee visited here from Thursday until Sunday.
Miss Louise Spalenka went to the Rapids Saturday noon and visited until Sunday afternoon.
Lora Ratelle and Mary Kujawa were calling on friends in Hiron Sunday afternoon.

VESPER.
Theo. Braxton of your city was in Vesper on business on Monday.
H. Roscoe purchased an engine from L. C. Johnson.
It is reported that we are to have a furniture store here in the near future.
The first issue of the Vesper Pioneer came out last Friday and was well received by the people.
Mrs. E. Caswell returned home Monday.
Mr. King of Chicago arrived here Saturday as a guest of L. Coleman. Mrs. King and daughter have been here for some time.
Roland Murgatroyd was in Grand Rapids on business Monday.
E. Trickey and family arrived Monday. They have rented the house formerly occupied by Supt. Geo. Varnoy. Mr. Trickey is preparing to start a newspaper in the Little building. He has considerable ability in this line and we hope he will do well here.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones and Mrs. E. E. Whitehorn were in Grand Rapids Sunday evening.
The Congregational Sunday school have rented Goldswoorthy's hall and will hold Sunday school there July 23 at 10:30 a. m. for the first time.
L. Martin is leading his machinery in a car for Stevens Point. He expects to discontinue business here.
Rev. Carter will deliver a sermon in Goldswoorthy's hall Sunday, July 23 at 8 p. m. Mr. Carter is president of the Congregational Sunday school society of this state and is a fine speaker. All are cordially invited to attend.
The band boys have made arrangements for the new hall and will have rehearsals each Tuesday evening at 7:45 p. m.
Mrs. H. Truettel departed Tuesday. She expects to be gone some time making a visit with her friends and relatives.

Are Political Orphans.
As far as the lower house of congress is concerned the people living in the counties of Portage, Wood, Marathon, Shawano, Waupaca and Waushara, the new eighth congressional district, are political orphans. Not one of the men now representing the state in either branch of congress are residents of this new congressional district.—Stevens Point Journal.
Since the above was written the governor has vetoed the bill, so that we are still on the map. We anxiously await the next move of our industrious law makers.

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Getzinger-Hecke.
Miss Anna Getzinger of the town of Hannen and Reinhardt Hecke of this city were married on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the west side Lutheran church, Rev. Wm. Nommensen officiating. They were accompanied by Misses Tillie Getzinger and Dolla Peters as bridesmaids, and Robert Hecke and Henry Getzinger as groomsmen.
Both of the contracting parties have many friends to wish them God speed on their journey thru life. They will make their home in this city.

Notice to Bidders for Sewer on Avon Street.
—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin are ready to receive sealed bids for the furnishing of all the material, implements, tools, etc., and all the labor and services except the sewer pipe which is to be furnished by the city on the street necessary to complete and construct a twelve inch sewer on said Avon Street in the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, strictly according to the plans and specifications for the same which are now on file in the office of the City Engineer in the Library building in said City of Grand Rapids.
Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Works up to and including the 10th day of August, 1911 at nine o'clock in the forenoon. All bids shall be inclosed in an envelope securely sealed and endorsed as follows: "Proposals for furnishing material, etc., for sewer on Avon Street" and the name of the bidder addressed and delivered to M. G. Gordon, City Clerk, any time prior to the 10th day of August, 1911 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.
A certified check for ten per cent of the amount of the bid shall be enclosed with each proposal, the said check to be payable to the order of M. G. Gordon, City Clerk, of the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, as evidence of good faith of the bidder. If bid is not accepted check will be returned. A bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equal to the amount of the proposal.
A contract for the work will be drawn without expense to the bidder by the City Attorney and will provide in substance that the bidder must furnish all materials, tools, implements, etc., except sewer pipe which will be furnished by the city on the street and all the labor and services necessary to do all of said work strictly according to the plans and specifications heretofore referred to and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer of said City.
Payments will be made on the estimate of the City Engineer from time to time up to eighty per cent of the amount of the material furnished and labor and services performed at time of estimate, until work is finally completed and accepted by the City Engineer when the balance will be paid.
The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids and the right to buy sewer pipe.
Dated this 17th day of July, 1911
W. E. Wheelan, Mayor.
E. W. Ellis,
George W. Davis,
J. J. Jeffrey,
Chris Gettsloff, Aldermen.
Board of Public Works.—3t

Notice to Bidders for Drain on Seventh Street.
—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin are ready to receive sealed bids for the furnishing of all the material, implements, tools, etc., and all the labor and services except the drain pipe which is to be furnished by the city on the street necessary to complete and construct a twelve inch drain on Seventh Street between Saratoga and Wisconsin Streets, in the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, strictly according to the plans and specifications for the same which are now on file in the office of the City Engineer in the Library building in said City of Grand Rapids.
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The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids and the right to buy the drain pipe.
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Business.
Town development is the business of every good business man. Help make the town grow. Be a Booster. It is profitable. It is profitable for every property owner. It is profitable for every dealer. It is profitable for every manufacturer. It is profitable for the professional man. It is profitable for every laborer. Our town needs to be developed by all its business men, not only occasionally but all the time. Inactivity leads downward. The Commercial Club aims to be active, and with the support of all the business men will put Grand Rapids on a higher commercial level.

Business.
A small crowd gathered at the town hall Monday when a farewell party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swain and family prior to their departure for their new home at Merrill. It was also given in honor of Mrs. Morgan Morris and her sister, Miss Sadie Cowell, who expect to start for Glendive, Montana, the home of the former about July 25th. The evening was spent in card playing and dancing.
Miss Nellie Rospleck arrived home Thursday from Milwaukee to spend the summer here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Albert Rospleck.
The ball game at Arborvale Sunday between Arborvale and Arpin ended in a victory for the former, score being 8 to 16 in their favor. Never mind boys, you must expect to get beat once in a while.
Miss Emily Saville of Pittsville visited over Sunday at the Roehrig home.
Mrs. H. F. Roehrig was a Grand Rapids shopper Wednesday.
—Johnson & Hill Co. pay the highest price in cash for your Butter and Eggs.

FOURTEEN MILE CREEK.
(Too Late for Last Week.)
O. E. Howitt of Grand Rapids was seen on our streets one day last week. S. W. Brown was a shopper in Nokona Saturday.
Mary and Clyde Winegarden went to Waupaca Tuesday to visit their uncle, C. Winegarden returning Monday.
Mrs. F. M. Ross left Thursday for Indiana where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Anna Berkley for a while. We were all glad to see the fine train that visited these parts Saturday.
We were somewhat surprised to hear of the marriage of Edwin Brown and Miss Nellie Smith which occurred Wednesday, July 12 at the David Brown home. Their friends and neighbors wish them much joy and happiness thru their newly wedded life.
Mrs. Edith Phelps and baby visited at M. S. Winegarden's from Sunday till Thursday.
Josie Jero of Grand Rapids is visiting at the home of her uncle, J. Jero this week.
—Johnson & Hill Co. pay the highest price in cash for your Butter and Eggs.

Market Report.
Patent Flour.....\$5.50
Rye Flour.....\$4.75
Barley Flour.....\$4.50
Feed live.....\$3.50-4.00
Hog live.....\$3.00-3.50
Hog killed.....\$2.50-3.00
Pork chops.....\$2.00-2.50
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Carl F. Haerzel, manager of the Grand Rapids Milling Co plant at Amherst for the past fifteen years and a former Grand Rapids boy, has been promoted as manager of the company's mill at Stevens Point to succeed H. Papp the present manager, who has resigned his position with the company, having purchased a flouring mill at Ashland.
—If you are going to housekeeping call and get prices and look our stock over. You will find the largest and best selected stock of furniture in this vicinity. Will make special low prices. Our rug stock was never so complete. A good Brussels rug, 12x18, for \$13.98. Spafford block, East Side. J. R. Ragan.—St.

No Favorites.
An exchange says that there never was a paper in any locality that gave all the news. Persons often go and come that the reporter does not see. It often happens that a family is missed several times. They get the impression that the paper does not care to mention them. It is a mistake. The paper has no ill feeling nor spite, nor enmity against anybody. Do not be afraid to give us items of interest. Perhaps you think the paper shows partiality, but try and see if it doesn't treat you well if given a chance. If you don't see us tell us of a happening or news item at your home, use the telephone or drop it in the post office, but don't fail to give your name so we will know there is no mistake about it.—Kx.

Faith.
Credit is faith. Without faith business would stand still. Nothing big has been achieved without faith. The greatest industrial achievements were made successful by faith,—faith in the future of the business and faith inspired by the promoters of the industry. Success is not the result of mere luck but rather of sheer pluck.—Faith. Have faith in the development of Grand Rapids. Inspire faith by supporting the Commercial Club.

Municipal Reference Books.
The following books should be of special interest to members of our city council and other civic officials.
Polewell—Sewerage: Construction and Maintenance.
Hazen—Clean water and How to Get It.
Hubbard—Water works Management and Maintenance.
Tudson—Road Preservation and Dust Prevention.
Waring—Street Cleaning and its Effects.
Rybo—Problems of City Government.
Wilcox—Great Cities in America. Public Library.

Cut His Finger.
George Babcock, who is employed in the plant of the Badger Box & Lumber Company, had the end of one of his fingers badly lacerated on Saturday by getting the member in contact with one of the saws. It was necessary to amputate it at the first joint.

ILLUSTRATED TERMINAL FOLDER
—A complete pictorial folder describing the magnificent new Passenger Terminal of the Chicago and North Western Ry., Chicago, free upon application at Ticket Office, The North Western Line, or address A. C. Johnson P. O. M., 295 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago.—St.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.
Ladies, George, Miss Maggie, card; Karen, Mrs. Carl, 3; O'Connell, Mrs. Jm.
Gentlemen, Bates, George, card; Curtis, W. D., card; Daly, Arthur, card; Galowski, Mr. and Mrs. F. J.; Roberts, John G.; Smith, William R.

Poison Ivy.
The safeguard against this poison, is to learn it before you touch it. It differs from the harmless Virginia creeper which it so closely resembles, in the number of leaves. The poison ivy has only three leaves, while the other has five.
At first there are clusters of minute pimples, changing the next day to blisters, with intense itching, and surrounded with vivid red, lasting from five to ten days.
Washing the parts with a great deal of common cheap laundry soap has good results. Lime water or soda and water relieve. Is protect the surface and prevents itching.
Poisoned wounds from stings, and bites from bees and bugs are slight injuries unless irritating substances are carried in with the bite. When the skin around the bite turns black and blue or has small blisters, call a doctor. Apply cold compresses and saline ointment for the alleviation of the trouble.—July Woman's World.

More Booster Talk.
What is the matter with YOUR business?
It is human nature to be dissatisfied with one's business, the other fellow's business always seems to be full of profit, but you have your own business on your hands, probably cannot change it. Get busy, make profits. A little self examination may show you what is wrong. There are business doctors nowadays. They come high and generally earn their pay. If you employed one he would be apt to ask you first, Is your outfit, stock and equipment as good as your competitors or are you trying to compete with up-to-date methods with back number ideas?
The other towns often seem like the other fellow's business. Is Grand Rapids up-to-date? The Commercial Club is the business doctor. Get wise to the game, support the Commercial Club, and put Grand Rapids on the map. Team work counts.

WANTED—A girl or woman to cook at a summer cottage at Hazelhurst, good wages and all expenses paid. Mrs. F. MacKinnon.

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BIG WRECK OF PRICES

Clothing and Shoes

Starts at Our New Building on Saturday Morning, July 22nd

Thousands of Dollars worth of Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Shoes have met with a great wreck in prices.

Having enjoyed a larger business than ever this season, thanks to the many patrons of this store, we find our stock of Oxfords, Shoes and Clothing now wrecked in sizes and patterns. We have therefore determined to make a wreck of the prices, offering you a great money-saving opportunity of buying strictly high grade Shoes and Clothing. This great Price Wrecking Sale will be held in our new store where there is ample room to display every article mentioned in this sale.

SHOES AND OXFORDS

Men's, Women's, Misses' and Childrens

LOT 1—Women's Oxfords and Pumps, an assortment of broken sizes, includes patents, vici, kid and gummetals, mostly small sizes, \$2.00 to \$3.50 values. Wrecked price.....	\$1.00
LOT 2—Women's patent, vici and gummetal Oxfords and Ties, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. Wrecked price.....	\$1.48
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LOT 5—Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Oxfords, tans and blacks, W. L. Douglas make, exceptional bargains. Wrecked price.....	\$1.48
LOT 6—Men's \$3.00 to \$4.00 Oxfords, good styles, tans and blacks. Wrecked price.....	\$1.98
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LOT 8—Boys' \$2.50 gummetal Blucher Oxfords. Wrecked price.....	\$1.85
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LOT 10—Children's Slippers and Oxfords, tans and black, not a pair in the lot that sold for less than 1.50 to 2.00. Wrecked price.....	\$1.18
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Misses Selma Kruger and Helen Dickson have been engaged to teach in the Hancock schools for the coming year.

R. R. Williams, editor of the Marshfield Times, was a business visitor in the city between trains on Monday.

Miss Katharine Latus returned to her home in Green Bay on Sunday after spending a week visiting at the Paul Latus home.

Dr. E. B. Clark and E. L. Graves spent several days last week at Eau Claire where they attended the dentists convention.

Mrs. W. A. Scott and children of Madison are in the city guests at the home of Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Nash.

Miss Lena Sprock, who has been employed as head waitress at the Hotel Dixon for several years, has resigned her position.

Mrs. John Vandenberg and children of Green Bay are spending a week in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nic Gross.

Misses Nan and Minnie Miles returned on Thursday from a two weeks visit where they had been visiting with friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson returned on Saturday from their club house up river where they had spent several weeks of the hot weather.

Arthur Pepin, who is now on the road for a drug house, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city visiting with his mother, Mrs. N. Pepin.

Mrs. Wm. King and children of Oshkosh are spending several weeks in the city visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Knoll.

H. H. Hoyt, who purchased the Grand Theater some time ago, arrived in the city last week and expects to open the theater next Saturday.

Bert Nason has been busy the past week erecting a handsome waiting station, 10x13 near the street car line the south side for the Centralia Pulp & Water Power Co.

Miss Fannie Merriam spent Sunday at Stevens Point visiting with friends. Will Merriam left recently for Ladysmith where he will be employed on a farm during the summer.

L. B. Margray of the town of Saratoga was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Tuesday. Mr. Margray reports that they had a nice rain out his way on Monday, wetting things down nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bratton of Rudolph were among the callers at the Tribune office on Tuesday. Their daughter, Mrs. Walter Coult-hart, who had been visiting them, left for her home in Canada last week.

Felix LaPointe of Marshfield is in a serious condition as a result of injuries sustained when the auto which he was driving turned turtle when he attempted to avoid a farmer's wagon on the Klondyke road. Several of LaPointe's ribs were broken.

Kirk Muir, who had been visiting his people in this city for a week, returned to the Wales sanatorium on Saturday to continue the treatment he has been taking there. Mr. Muir is looking and feeling fine and so all appearances has entirely recovered.

Joseph Marach of the town of Sherry was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Tuesday while in the city on business. Mr. Marach reports that cats will not turn out a very big crop in his locality, owing to the fact that much of the grain is lying down and it will be impossible to bind it.

Tomahawk Leader.—Miss Lenore Genger left Tuesday evening for her home at Grand Rapids after a three weeks visit with her aunt and uncle, Mrs. John Landry and J. N. Mennier. She was accompanied home by Miss Genevieve Landry, who will spend a week at Grand Rapids and a few days at Neenah with friends.

Carl P. Haerzel, manager of the Grand Rapids Milling Co. plant at Ashland for the past fifteen years and a former Grand Rapids boy, has been promoted as manager of the company's mill at Stevens Point to succeed H. H. Pregel the present manager, who resigned his position with the company, having purchased a flouring mill at Ashland.

If you are going to housekeeping call and get prices and look our stock over. You will find the largest and best selected stock of furniture in this vicinity. Our rug stock was never so complete. A good Brussels rug, 12x12 ft. for \$13.95. Spafford Block, East Side. J. R. Ragan.—3c

Scandinavian Moravian Church.

Services will be held in the Scandinavian language on Sunday morning as usual.

There will be preaching in the English church in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

On Sunday, July 30 the pastor will preach in the morning in Scandinavian. In the afternoon he will hold services in Saratoga.

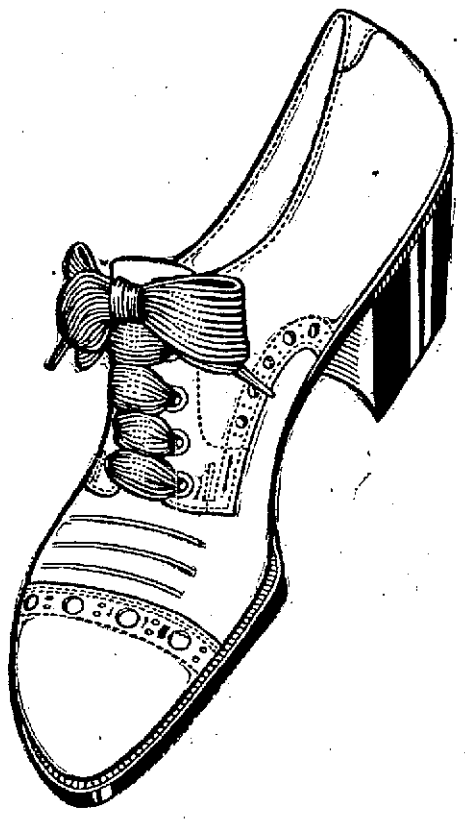
BIG WRECK OF PRICES

Clothing and Shoes

Starts at Our New Building on Saturday Morning, July 22nd

Thousands of Dollars worth of Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Shoes have met with a great wreck in prices.

Having enjoyed a larger business than ever this season, thanks to the many patrons of this store, we find our stock of Oxfords, Shoes and Clothing now wrecked in sizes and patterns. We have therefore determined to make a wreck of the prices, offering you a great money-saving opportunity of buying strictly high grade Shoes and Clothing. This great Price Wrecking Sale will be held in our new store where there is ample room to display every article mentioned in this sale.



SHOES AND OXFORDS

Men's, Women's, Misses' and Childrens

LOT 1—Women's Oxfords and Pumps, an assortment of broken sizes, includes patents, vici, kid and gun-metal, mostly small sizes, \$2.00 to \$3.50 values, Wrecked price.....	\$1.00
LOT 2—Women's patent, vici and gunmetal Oxfords and Ties, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values. Wrecked price.....	\$1.48
LOT 3—Women's vici kid, patent olt or gunmetal Oxfords, Pumps and Ties, regular \$2.50 to \$4.00 values. Wrecked price.....	\$1.98
LOT 4—An assortment of Women's \$2.00 to \$2.50 high Shoes, velour calf and vici kids. Wrecked price.....	\$1.48
LOT 5—Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Oxfords, tans and blacks, W. L. Douglas make, exceptional bargains. Wrecked price.....	\$1.48
LOT 6—Men's \$3.00 to \$4.00 Oxfords, good styles, tans and blacks. Wrecked price.....	\$1.98
LOT 7—Special lot Men's \$3.50 tan Blucher Oxfords, seasons latest style. Wrecked price.....	\$2.28
LOT 8—Boys' \$2.50 gunmetal Blucher Oxfords. Wrecked price.....	\$1.85
LOT 9—Boys' \$2.00 black and tan Oxfords. Wrecked price.....	\$1.25
LOT 10—Childs' Slippers and Oxfords, tans and black, not a pair in the lot that sold for less than 1.50 to 2.00. Wrecked price.....	\$1.18
LOT 11—Men's brown mule skin Shoes, 1.50 values. Wrecked price.....	\$1.00

Fifty other Big Bargains that space will not permit us to mention. Come, look them over.

GREAT WRECK OF CLOTHING PRICES

Men's, Boys' and Children's

LOT 1—Men's assortment of 14.00 to 15.00 fancy Suit patterns. Wrecked price.....	\$10.98
LOT 2—Men's 12.00 and 14.00 Suits, assorted styles and patterns. Wrecked price.....	\$9.98
LOT 3—Men's extra good assortment of 10.00 and 12.00 Suits. Wrecked price.....	\$7.98
LOT 4—Men's 6.00 to 9.00 Suits. Wrecked price.....	\$5.98
LOT 5—Men's and Young Men's Suits, worth 5.00 to 8.00. Wrecked price.....	\$3.98
LOT 6—Men's working Pants, worth 1.75 to 2.25. Wrecked price.....	\$1.48
LOT 7—Men's working Pants, worth 1.25 and 1.50. Wrecked price.....	98c
LOT 8—Young Men's 1.00 Pants. Wrecked price.....	58c
Men's work Shirts, 50c values. Wrecked price.....	38c
Men's 1.00 Negligee Overshirts. Wrecked price.....	69c
Men's Clossenette or Porous Underwear, 50c grade. Wrecked price.....	34c
Men's Union Suits, light weight, 1.00 grade. Wrecked price.....	68c
Men's light weight Drawers or Shirts, 50c grade. Wrecked price.....	23c
Men's Wash Ties, 25c grade. Wrecked price each.....	12c
Men's working Socks, 10c grade. Wrecked price.....	6c
Men's fancy 25c Hose. Wrecked price.....	15c
LOT 9—Boys' Two-piece Suits, worth 2.50 and 3.00. Wrecked price.....	\$1.98
Boys' Long Pants, worth 75c. Wrecked price.....	48c
Boys' Overalls, without bibs, 50c grade. Wrecked price.....	29c
Boys' brown Kahki knickerbocker Pants, 50c grade. Wrecked price.....	23c
Boys' short Knee Pants, worth 50c. Wrecked price.....	33c
Boys' 1.00 Knee Pants. Wrecked price.....	69c
Men's and Boys' Felt Hats, 1.50 to 2.50 values. Wrecked price.....	88c

Many other bargains equally as good as these that space will not permit us to mention.

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No Favorites.

An exchange says that there never was a paper in any locality that gave all the news. Persons often go and come that the reporter does not see. It often happens that a family is missed several times. They get the impression that the paper does not care to mention them. It is a mistake. The paper has no ill feeling nor spite, nor enmity against anybody. Do not be afraid to give us items of interest. Perhaps you think the paper shows partiality, but try and see if it doesn't treat you well if given a chance. If you don't see us to tell us of a happening or news item at your home, use the telephone or drop it in the post office, but don't fail to give your name so we will know there is no mistake about it.—Ed.

Faith.

Credit is faith. Without faith business would stand still. Nothing big has been achieved without faith. The greatest industrial achievements were made successful by faith, faith in the future of the business and faith inspired by the promoters of the industry. Success is not the result of mere luck but rather of sheer pluck.—Ed.

Have faith in the development of Grand Rapids. Inspire faith by supporting the Commercial Club.

Municipal Reference Books.

The following books should be of special interest to members of our city council and other civic officials.

Tollevell—Sewerage: Construction and Maintenance.

Hazen—Clean water and How to Get It.

Hubbard—Water works Management and Maintenance.

Tudson—Road Preservation and Dust Prevention.

Waring—Street Cleaning and its effects.

Rowe—Problems of City Government.

Wilcox—Great Cities in America. Public Library.

Cut His Finger.

George Babcock, who is employed in the plant of the Badger Box & Lumber Company, had the end of one of his fingers badly lacerated on Saturday by getting the member in contact with one of the saws. It was necessary to amputate it at the first joint.

Poison Ivy.

The safeguard against this poison, is to learn it before you touch it. It differs from the harmless Virginia creeper which it so closely resembles, in the number of leaves. The poison ivy has only three leaves, while the other has five.

At first there are clusters of minute pimples, changing the next day to blisters, with intense itching, and surrounded with vivid red, lasting from five to ten days.

Washing the parts with a great deal of common cheap laundry soap has good results. Lime water or soda and water relieve. It protects the surface and prevents itching.

Poisoned wounds from stings, and bites from bees and bugs are slight injuries unless irritating substances are carried in with the bite. When the skin around the bite turns black and blue or has small blisters, call a doctor. Apply cold compresses and zinc ointment for the alleviation of the trouble.—July Woman's World.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Ladies: Geough, Miss Maggie, card; Kernan, Mrs. Carl, 2; O'Connell, Mrs. Jas.

Gentlemen: Bates, George, card; Curtis, W. D., card; Daly, Arthur, card; Galowski, Mr. and Mrs. E.; Roberts, John G.; Smith, William R.

More Booster Talk.

What is the matter with YOUR business?

It is human nature to be dissatisfied with ones business, the other fellow's business always seems to be full of profit, but you have your own business on your hands, probably cannot change it. Get busy, make profits. A little self examination may show you what is wrong. There are business doctors nowadays. They come high and generally earn their pay. If you employed one he would be apt to ask you first, Is your outfit, stock and equipment as good as your competitors or are you trying to compete with up-to-date methods with back number ideas?

The other towns often seem like the other fellow's business. Is Grand Rapids up-to-date? The Commercial Club is the business doctor. Get wises to the game, support the Commercial Club, and put Grand Rapids on the map. Team work counts.

WANTED—A girl or woman to cook at a summer cottage at Hazhurst. Good wages and all expenses paid. Mrs. F. MacKinnon.

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RUDOLPH

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Mose Sharkey burned to the ground Saturday evening. The origin of the fire is unknown as they were not at home. They left the house all shut up and no fire in the stove. They had gone to the home of his brother Joe, three miles distant to spend the evening about an hour before. The fire was first seen by men at the station who immediately went down there and succeeded in getting out most of the things down stairs except those in the part where the fire started and that was where most of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sharkey's things were. Some things were saved from up stairs but not many, a couple of bedsteads and valises. All of Dave Sharkey's things were burned. Barney Morgan got his suit case out. Mr. Sharkey carried \$1200 insurance on the house, \$200 on furniture and \$50 on provisions.

Mrs. Stella Sharkey and two children of Parrish are spending two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Simon Grotzow. Don't forget the hard time dance in Marmon's hall Thursday evening, July 20.

Will Clark and family came over from Milwaukee in their auto and spent a few hours with his parents Thursday evening.

John Peris, traveling salesman for a grocery supply company, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. A. Jackson and mother, who is visiting her daughter.

Mrs. Wendell Murch of Stevens Point is visiting friends here for a few days. Mr. Murch came Saturday and he and his wife spent Sunday at the Kamel Maroon home returning Monday to visit his brother Fred in the town of Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. Windell Murch expect to make their future home in Rhineland.

Dave Sharkey went up to Madison Friday evening.

Miss Mary Grab, who has been in Stevens Point for some time past, is spending the week with Mrs. Geo. Elton.

Miss Mabel McCormick of Chicago is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Oliver Akoy.

Mrs. Frank Whitman has been quite sick with a very bad cold and sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hams went up to Glenwood Wednesday morning to visit in the home of their son George. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Homan returned Friday evening from Glenwood where they had business Wednesday morning visiting her brother George.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grotzow have come back here to live. They will soon go to their furniture from Danforth. Some of our farmers are beginning to stock their crops.

Kamell Maroon is helping Oliver Dundy of Grand Rapids, who is working on his farm in South Rudolph. They are making hay.

Dave Sharkey and John Little wrestled in Marmon's hall Thursday evening. Little won in two straight falls. The first in 31 minutes and the second in 33 minutes. A preliminary match between Lloyd Ratelle and Louis Jacoby gave a little amusement for the crowd. The boys each got \$1.50. There was a full house, a number coming up from the Rapids and down from Mosinee.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sharkey of Mosinee visited here from Thursday until Sunday.

Miss Louise Spaback went to the Rapids Saturday noon and visited until Sunday afternoon.

John Ratelle and Mary Kajawa were calling on friends in Biran Sunday afternoon.

VESEPER.

Then, Brazen of your city was in Vesper on business on Monday.

H. Hosen purchased an engine from L. C. Johnson.

It is reported that we are to have a furniture store here in the near future.

The first issue of the Vesper Pioneer came out last Friday and was well received by the people.

Mrs. E. Galloway returned home Monday.

Mr. King of Chicago arrived here Saturday as a guest of U. Coleman. Mrs. King and daughter have been here for some time.

Roland Margatroyd was in Grand Rapids on business Monday.

E. Trickey and family arrived Monday. They have rented the house formerly occupied by Supt. Geo. Varney.

Mr. Trickey is preparing to start a newspaper in the Little building. He has considerable ability in this line and we hope he will do well here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harbert Jones and Mrs. E. E. Whitelore were in Grand Rapids Saturday evening.

The Congregational Sunday school have rented Goldworthy's hall and will hold Sunday school there July 23 at 10:30 a. m. for the first time.

L. Martin is loading his machinery in a car for Stevens Point. He expects to discontinue business here.

Rev. Carter will deliver a sermon in Goldworthy's hall Sunday, July 23 at 8 p. m. Mr. Carter is president of the Congregational Sunday school society of this state and is a fine speaker. All are cordially invited to attend.

The band boys have made arrangements for the new hall and will have rehearsals each Tuesday evening at 7:45 p. m.

Mrs. H. Truett departed Tuesday. She expects to be gone some time making a visit with her friends and relatives.

Are Political Orphans.

As far as the lower house of congress is concerned the people living in the counties of Portage, Wood, Marathon, Shawano, Waupaca and Waushara, the new eighth congressional district, are political orphans. Not one of the men now representing the state in either branch of congress are residents of this new congressional district.—Stevens Point Journal.

Since the above was written the governor has vetoed the bill, so that we are still on the map. We anxiously await the next move of our industrious law makers.

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Getzinger-Henke.

Miss Anna Getzinger of the town of Hanson and Reihart Henke of this city were married on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the west side Lutheran church. Rev. Wm. Nommensen officiating. They were accompanied by Misses Tillie Getzinger and Della Peters as bridesmaids, and Robert Henke and Henry Getzinger as groomsmen.

Both of the contracting parties have many friends to wish them God speed on their journey thru life. They will make their home in this city.

Notice to Bidders for Sewer on Avon Street.

—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin are ready to receive sealed bids for the furnishing of all the material, implements, tools etc., and all the labor and services except the sewer pipe which is to be furnished by the city on the street necessary to complete and construct a twelve inch sewer on said Avon Street in the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, strictly according to the plans and specifications for the same which are now on file in the office of the City Engineer in the Library building in said City of Grand Rapids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Works up to and including the 10th day of August, 1911 at nine o'clock in the forenoon. All bids shall be inclosed in an envelope securely sealed and endorsed as follows: "Proposals for furnishing material, etc., for sewer on Avon Street" and the name of the bidder and addressed and delivered to M. G. Gordon, City Clerk, any time prior to the 10th day of August, 1911 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

A certified check for ten per cent of the amount of the bid shall be enclosed with each proposal, the said check to be payable to the order of M. G. Gordon, City Clerk, of the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, as evidence of good faith of the bidder. If bid is not accepted check will be returned. A bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equal to the amount of the proposal.

A contract for the work will be drawn without expense to the bidder by the City Attorney and will provide in substance that the bidder must furnish all materials, tools, implements, etc., except sewer pipe which will be furnished by the city on the street and all the labor and services necessary to do all of said work strictly according to the plans and specifications heretofore referred to and to the satisfaction of the City Engineer of said City.

Payments will be made on the estimate of the City Engineer from time to time up to eighty per cent of the amount of the material furnished and labor and services performed at time of estimate, until work is finally completed and accepted by the City Engineer when the balance will be paid.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids and the right to buy sewer pipe.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1911

W. E. Wheelan, Mayor.
E. W. Ellis,
George W. Davis,
J. J. Jeffrey,
Chris Gettsloff, Aldermen,
Board of Public Works.—St.

Notice to Bidders for Drain on Seventh Street.

—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin are ready to receive sealed bids for the furnishing of all the material, implements, tools etc., and all the labor and services except the drain pipe which is to be furnished by the city on the street necessary to complete and construct a twelve inch drain on Seventh Street between Saratoga and Wisconsin Streets, in the City of Grand Rapids, Wisconsin, strictly according to the plans and specifications for the same which are now on file in the office of the City Engineer in the Library building in said City of Grand Rapids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Public Works up to and including the 10th day of August, 1911 at nine o'clock in the forenoon. All bids shall be inclosed in an envelope securely sealed and endorsed as follows: "Proposals for furnishing material, etc., for drain on Seventh Street" and the name of the bidder and addressed and delivered to M. G. Gordon, City Clerk, any time prior to the 10th day of August, 1911 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

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Silo Forms Loaned to Wisconsin Farmers.

Madison, Wis., July 18.—To meet the big demand among the farmers of the state for concrete silos, the department of agricultural engineering of the University of Wisconsin has made seven sets of forms for the building of concrete silos and is renting them to farmers throughout the state. The university requires that at least three silos be built in a community and a price of \$10 for each silo is charged. Prof. C. A. Oosack who has this work in charge says that 35 silos from these forms will be built this season.

The forms are located at Superior, Ashland, Wittenburg, Hortonville, Burlington, Baraboo, and Cottage Grove and arrangements to have them sent out to the farmers around these places can be made by writing the College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin.

Five silos, one each at Portage, Baraboo, Hortonville, South Milwaukee and Cottage Grove, have already been completed from the forms. The first of the forms was sent out in March. In May four were in the field, in June five were ready for use, and this month all seven are being used. There are now more applications than can be filled this season, but orders are still being taken for next season, which will open in March.

An elaborate explanation of how to make the silos from the forms is contained in the new bulletin on Concrete Silo Construction, just issued by Prof. C. A. Oosack of the college of agriculture.

Confidential.

—Now is the time to get the real thing in real estate bargains. We need the money, as we are out of gasoline and brand. It will pay you to sit up and take notice as to our list.

Terms of payment are on or before five years at 6 per cent. Present prices are only open until the 20th inst. Here is the list.

20 residence lots in Glenwood Addition at \$16.00 to \$30.00. The lots are level, dry, main roads, good water, good neighborhood, with nice homes, daily mail.

Only one lot left unsold, of 86 lots in Oakleaf Addition. It is worth \$125.

A 30 foot frontage adjoining Bodette's shop opposite the Library. Worth \$50.00 per foot frontage.

100 acre farm on two mile creek opposite the paper mill with 35 acres cultivated, 65 acres unimproved timber, new small house, will sell timber separately, will cut up to suit purchaser in 30, 40 or 60 acre pieces. Call, phone, or write for present prices. Geo. N. Wood, Owner.

Phone 419.

Business.

Town development is the business of every good business man. Help make the town grow. Be a Booster. It is profitable. It is profitable for every property owner. It is profitable for every dealer, the smallest merchant to the largest. It is profitable for every manufacturer. It is profitable for the professional man. It is profitable for every laborer. Our town needs to be developed by all its business men, not only occasionally but all the time. Inactivity leads downward. The Commercial Club aims to be active, and with the support of all the business men will put Grand Rapids on a higher commercial level.

ARPIN

A small crowd gathered at the town hall Monday when a farewell was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Rose Swain and family prior to their departure for their new home at Merrill. It was also given in honor of Mrs. Morgan Morris and her sister, Miss Sadie Cowell, who expect to start for Glendive, Montana, the home of the former about July 20th. The evening was spent in card playing and dancing.

Miss Nellie Rosplack arrived home Thursday from Milwaukee to spend the summer here at the home of her mother, Mrs. Albert Rosplack.

The ball game at Antennale Sunday between Antennale and Arpin ended in a victory for the former, score being 8 to 15 in their favor. Never had boys, you must expect to see heat once in a while.

Miss Emily Sunville of Pittsville visited over Sunday at the Roehrig home.

Mrs. H. F. Roehrig was a Grand Rapids shopper Wednesday.

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FOURTEEN MILE CREEK

(Too Late for Last Week.)

C. E. Hewitt of Grand Rapids was seen on our streets one day last week.

S. W. Brown was a shopper in Nekeosa Saturday.

Mary and Clyde Winegarden went to Waupaca Thursday to visit their uncle, C. Winegarden returning Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Rous left Thursday for Indiana where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. Anna Beckley for a while. We were all glad to see the fine train that visited these parts Saturday.

We were somewhat surprised to hear of the marriage of Edwin Brown and Miss Nellie Smith which occurred Wednesday, July 13 at the David Brown home. Their friends and neighbors wish them much joy and happiness thru their newly wedded life.

Mrs. Edith Phelps and baby visited at M. S. Winegarden's from Sunday till Thursday.

Jose Jero of Grand Rapids is visiting at the home of her wife, I. Jero this week.

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Market Report.

Butter, 16-18
Eggs, 16-18
Hens, 16-18
Chickens, 16-18
Ducks, 16-18
Geese, 16-18
Pork, 16-18
Beef, 16-18
Lard, 16-18
Tallow, 16-18
Wool, 16-18
Hides, 16-18
Feathers, 16-18
Bones, 16-18
Kills, 16-18
Horns, 16-18
Hoofs, 16-18
Tails, 16-18
Skins, 16-18
Fur, 16-18
Leather, 16-18
Rubber, 16-18
Glass, 16-18
Paper, 16-18
Clothing, 16-18
Furniture, 16-18
Household goods, 16-18
Miscellaneous, 16-18

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Mrs. Fred Turbin is spending a week in Merrill visiting with relatives.

Mrs. May Baruch of Milwaukee is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Baruch.

George Warner of Prophetstown, Ill., is in the city a guest at the D. M. Huntington home.

Mrs. Peter Moberg of the town of Sigel returned last week from a visit with her son, Sam at Merrill.

Henry Goggins of Stockton, California, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Goggins.

Mrs. W. D. Harvey of Oshkosh is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaus M. Webb.

Mrs. O. A. Mellicke and children departed the past week for an extended visit in Castlewood, N. D.

M. J. McKeith, who is an inmate of the National Soldiers Home, is visiting his friends about the city.

Mrs. J. W. Bird and children of Stevens Point are visiting at the home of Mrs. Dickson on 3rd Ave. South.

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Roland Margatroyd of Vesper was a pleasant caller at the Tribune office on Monday while in the city on business.

Miss Clara Hamon leaves today for Chisholm on a two weeks vacation. She will also visit at other points before her return.

Miss Mae Madison of Minneapolis spent several days in the city visiting at the A. L. Ridgman home, while on her way to Delavan.

O. R. Briggs of Batavia, Ill., is spending a week in the city visiting with Prof. J. W. Merrill, director of the Grand Rapids band.

Mrs. J. R. Ragan and daughter Margaret returned on Saturday from a visit with relatives and friends in Neenah and Menasha.

Mrs. Chas. Halvorsen, who has been visiting her parents in this city during the past three weeks, returned to her home in Madison on Monday.

Frank Natwick has purchased two lots of the Lyon Land Co. adjoining the Lyon Land Co., and intends to erect a modern home thereon this fall.

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Mrs. A. Milepangh and daughter Carrie and Miss Tillie Marx returned to their homes in Merrill on Tuesday after a weeks visit at the Albert Witte home.

J. W. Ridgman of Vassar, Mich., spent several days at the home of Dr. A. L. Ridgman, while on his way to Ladysmith to visit his brother W. H. Ridgman.

Atty. J. J. Jeffrey has opened up his law office in the Lyon block where he will be pleased to meet his customers until he secures a permanent location.

J. Leane of Chicago has rented the old building formerly occupied by Mrs. Skinner on the east side and intends to start a dry goods and clothing store.

Messrs. Neal Brown and G. D. Jones of Wausau, stockholders in the Grand Rapids Street Ry. Co., were in the city on Saturday on business. They made the trip in Mr. Brown's auto.

Mrs. Jos. Black of Shawano was a guest of her brother Patrick Mulroy over Sunday. Mrs. Bert Hatfield of Wausau, daughter of Mrs. Jos. Black also spent Sunday here.

—LOST—A baby's locket and chain at the pavilion on July 4th. Reward for its return. Mrs. Lee Payne, 343 3rd Ave. South.

Dr. V. P. Norton returned on Tuesday from Milwaukee, S. D., where he was called by the death of his brother, Wm. E. Norton, who died as the result of a runaway accident.

—House for rent on the east side, 9th street south. Five Rooms. Inquire Gus Niemann, 558, 10th Ave. South, west side.

Messrs. Carl and Frank Newman, Chas. Yetter and Ed. Branstetter returned on Tuesday from Delavan, Minn., where they have been employed for the past four months for Chas. Ekstrand on a dredge.

Dr. A. L. Ridgman and wife leave tomorrow for a weeks visit with relatives at Ladysmith. They will be accompanied back by W. H. Ridgman who has been visiting there for some time.

Fred Schmidt, the twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Schmidt of Merrill, died last week as the result of lock jaw, which was caused while playing with fire works on June 24th, a blank cartridge exploding in his hand.

—If you want to buy a tiger Angora cat, a second hand runabout, or a new bungalow on the river, ask the man near the car barn.

Mrs. F. MacKinnon was called to Manitowish recently by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Geo. E. Hoskinson. Mr. MacKinnon expects to leave next Sunday for Hazelhurst where he will spend some time at his cottage on the lakes.

Chas. Klevone, secretary of the Seneca, Sigel & Rudolph Mutual Fire Insurance Co., was a business caller at this office on Tuesday. Mr. Klevone reports quite a heavy frost out his way on Sunday night, and that considerable damage was done to his corn and millet on the low ground.

Alex Haydock departed this morning for Mosinee where he has accepted a position with the new paper mill company and assist in setting up their new machinery. As soon as the mill begins operations Mr. Haydock expects to work on one of the paper machines and will then move his family to Mosinee.

Mrs. Dr. W. J. Fahrner of Joliet, Ill., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Huntington, was called home on Tuesday by the illness of her daughter. She was accompanied to Joliet by her sister, Miss Ruby Huntington, who will visit there for a time.

Health Films.

The exhibit of health films by the Wisconsin Anti Tuberculosis Society, will be given at the Amusement hall on Thursday evening, July 20. Everybody should make it a point to see these films.

Some Boostings

A prominent Attorney of Grand Rapids has remarked that the work of the Commercial Club in Boosting and building up Grand Rapids will not help him as he now has all he can do. Lucky man isn't he? But listen. Had this same Attorney invested his money in Grand Rapids Real Estate and in Grand Rapids industries instead of Western Paper Mills and other foreign industries, the work of building up and improving Grand Rapids would increase the value of his local Real Estate investments so that his profits would be more than he can ever hope to receive from his foreign investments.

Within the past six weeks a young man came to this City from the State of Washington. He told a few people with some money that he had a hole in the ground out in Washington from which he is sure to take a fortune in gold. He would let these people in on a good thing and it was passed on to a few more. Strange to say but that young man has taken thousands of Dollars out of Grand Rapids. For what? His word that a hole in the ground will make them all rich.

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Order Limiting Time to Present Claims and Notice to Creditors

July 12 State of Wisconsin, Wood County, in August Court